

SUTTON WINS TO TIE PLAY-OFF SERIES

Czech Tells Of Loss Of His Business In Sudetenland Crisis

WRITES FOR HELP IN GETTING PERMISSION TO ENTER CANADA

WAR INTERVENES

In Saturday night's mail, a few hours before Britain declared war on Germany, the editor of The Era received a letter from a Czechoslovakian refugee in Czechoslovakia seeking assistance in securing admission to Canada.

Forced out of business in the Sudetenland, he had secured permission to bring \$1,000 with him. He hoped to get permission to bring his saw-mill machines and his cabinet-making machines too. He planned to leave his wife and three small daughters behind him until he should get a start in a new country.

He obtained the editor's name through a sister, Dr. Catherine Hebb, who is doing research work in physiology at the University of Edinburgh as a Beit scholar.

The letter was postmarked "Praha," bore Czechoslovakian

ACCEPTS POSITION

Lorne McCordick has accepted a position in Leggett's drug store, Bolton, where he will begin his apprenticeship.

stamp, came by air mail, and had been opened in Czechoslovakia by censors. The writer of the letter enclosed a snapshot of himself, showing him to be a fine-looking young man. The letter was written on Aug. 25.

The letter will not be acknowledged, although Postmaster L. P. Cane states that a reply should reach the writer all right through a neutral country, because unfortunately nothing can now be done to help him reach this country, and a letter from an enemy country might cause needless embarrassment.

The letter follows: Mr. Andrew O. Hebb

Gentlemen: I am writing you on the suggestion of Miss Catherine Hebb, your sister, and Miss Andraschke, Edinburg, who thought that you will have the

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Would Work For Soldier's Pay, Says Main St. Clothier

MAIN ST. MERCHANT WAS BORN IN POLAND IN CZARIST DAYS

"I am ready to work for the government, making uniforms, at a soldier's pay," Isaac Lindenbaum, Main St. clothing merchant, who is past military service age, told The Era this week.

Mr. Lindenbaum thought that there were many other people not fit for military service who would like to give their services at no higher pay than that received by soldiers.

Mr. Lindenbaum believed that there would be a very fine response from Canadian citizens of Jewish extraction, not merely because of the treatment that Jews have received in Germany, but because of their loyalty to the British Empire. A Canadian Jewish unit went to France during the Great War, he stated.

Incidentally, Mr. Lindenbaum's boyhood was spent in Poland,

SHORT-WAVE MEN HAVE TO FOLD UP SETS

Short-wave radio operators in Newmarket, in company with all other amateurs throughout Canada, have been ordered to discontinue use of their broadcasting equipment, effective yesterday, and to dismantle their sets. This follows a precedent set during the Great War.

which he left as a youth to go to England. Poland at that time was under Russian rule and illiteracy was rife. People were taxed according to whether they had one chimney or two, Mr. Lindenbaum said. Schools were few and overcrowded, so that many children did not get a chance to attend at all.

His father, who was a farmer, he brought to Canada 16 years ago. He is now living in Toronto, although in poor health.

War Un-Christian, Achieves No Good, Declares Minister

SAYS FAITH IN GOD AND GOLDEN RULE WOULD SOLVE PROBLEMS

"The secret of success lies with men themselves," said Rev. E. C. Currie of Comber at Trinity United church on Sunday morning. It was incorrectly announced in last week's Era that Rev. Eldridge Currie, formerly of Newmarket, would preach.

"Faith makes all things possible," said Mr. Currie. "We know that world peace is possible if the leaders of the world and the nations would accept the teachings of Jesus and follow the golden rule."

"We know that war is not necessary to settle quarrels if we will rediscover the word of God. We know it is un-Christian for one man to take the life of another with the sword."

"Christian faith is the one thing that enables men and women to overcome temptation and to develop beautiful personalities."

"Perhaps in the days ahead we shall all be forced into positions that are not of our own choosing. Perhaps we shall have great sorrows to bear."

"There has never been a time in history when men were saying more that what the world needs is more religion. Men who have themselves made little contribution to religion are saying this."

MISCELLANEOUS SHOWER GIVEN BRIDE-TO-BE

A number of friends and relatives gathered at the home of Mrs. Max Smith on Saturday night, to honor a bride-to-be of this month, Miss Alice Landry, at a miscellaneous shower. The hall rack, which stood in a corner of the dining room, was attractively decorated in white crepe paper trimmed with roses. Varn attached to it led the bride-to-be to the most lovely and useful gifts. A social hour was spent after which a delicious lunch brought a pleasant evening to a close.

NEWMARKET VETERANS ATTEND SERVICE

Twenty Newmarket veterans attended the drumhead service at Stouffville memorial park on Sunday afternoon. Two hundred and fifty veterans, it is estimated, attended the service.

Col. W. P. Mulock, M.P., president of York County Veterans' association, told the veterans that they might be called upon to guard public utilities against sabotage.

Capt. Sidney Lambert, Toronto, war-time padre, preached the sermon.

Richmond Hill trumpet band and Stouffville juvenile brass band were in attendance.

about a better condition. We must rebuild the world with Christianity in every nation.

"Perhaps if you and I were more faithful in prayer we would not be facing what we are today. God answers faith. God answers prayer."

Terry Doane of Queenaville sang a solo.

RIDES ARE NIL IN FRONT OF BRAIN HOUSE

JOE DALES DRAWS A "BY" WHEN HE ADVISES GANG FOREMAN

EXPLORES NORTH

Lac Seul, Ont., Aug. 24, 1939.

Dear Andrew: Sorry I was unable to write you sooner but I was so busy seeing the country and running into experiences to write about that I just didn't have time. It's a week and a day since I took the road, and it seems like yesterday. In fact, when I tell you all the things that have happened to me, you will find it hard to believe that all the following could transpire in the brief space of a week.

To make a long story longer, I'll begin at the beginning and write until the writing paper runs out or I'm exhausted.

Before I left, my instructions were to travel light — to take nothing but bare necessities — whatever I could carry in my pockets. I was told that a pack-sack would prove a nuisance and that I would probably throw it away before a hundred miles had been covered. Besides, I was going to need both hands to hop a freight.

So I started with a razor and a towel and other incidentals — then I threw in a sweater and a box of matches — then there followed in rapid succession, high boots, socks, shirts, hunting knife, books, etc. By the time my equipment was complete, I realized that pockets just didn't come that big. Resigning myself to the inevitable, I stowed them away in a pack and betook myself to the corner of Eagle and Yonge to see what fate held in store.

At approximately 8 a. m. I received my first lift which took me as far as Stroud. A short time elapsed and then I was in Barrie. My next stop was Orillia, and I got out at the south

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STAGE ALL SET FOR GREAT BIG BAND NIGHT

Final preparations are being made to make Big Band Night, Wednesday, Sept. 13, one evening of carnival spirit that will long be remembered in Newmarket and community.

Big Band Night will start off with a monster parade of approximately 35 floats, decorated doll carriages, bicycles, etc., clowns, dressed groups, all in competition for fine prizes.

The parade starts from the Stuart Scott school grounds at 6:45 p.m., headed by the Aurora boys' band, circles the town and picks up the children entries at the top of Main St., then proceeds to the King George school grounds, where the presentation of medals and trophies will be made to the two bands.

In conjunction with the presentation there will be entertainment, games and fun for all. The celebration will be in a carnival spirit.

While the parade is circling the town, the soap box derby will be held on Main St. hill. This unique type of racing is expected to make a big hit. It is open to boys 15 and under.

Vehicles are not to cost over \$2. All entrants are to register with Roy Rhinehart on or before Monday, Sept. 11, for final instructions.

The committee in charge of Big Band Night is working most diligently to make it a complete success, and is asking the co-operation of the citizens of Newmarket and community by being present, taking part in the parade if possible and also by purchasing a generous supply of tickets, which are being sold by members of the R. S. A. bugle band and the Newmarket Citizens' band.

POWER WILL BE OFF IN WEEK HOURS SUNDAY

The electric power will be off from 2 to 3 a.m. on Sunday morning, weather permitting, for the Ontario Hydro-Electric.

INVITATION EXTENDED TO W. C. T. U. MEETING

The regular meeting of the W.C.T.U. will be held at the home of Mrs. Wilson Lepard, north Main St., on Sept. 12 at 3 p.m. The members would be very happy to see you at this meeting.

Great War Veterans Stand Ready To Aid Town Guard Utilities

VETERANS' HEAD EXPRESSES CONCERN FOR SAFETY OF WATER

WILL SEE COUNCIL

Newmarket veterans decided to offer their services to the town for the protection of public services during the war, at a meeting in the R. S. A. bugle band hall on Tuesday evening.

They have already listed their names with the Canadian Corps Association for any duty that might arise. President Alfred Smith and Secretary-Treasurer Sidney Brice and a delegation will appear before the next town council meeting to discuss protection of town utilities.

Vic Brydges, War Veteran, Accepted For Active Duty

VETERAN OF WORLD WAR STILL FIT, MEDICAL OFFICERS FIND

Victor Brydges, world war veteran, is Newmarket's first volunteer to be accepted for active service.

Twenty years after the last war, he passed as A1 in an examination at Oshawa on Tuesday for the tank corps.

He will spend a short time at home and then will be summoned to Camp Borden for training.

He was the first returned man enlisting at Oshawa to get an A1 rating.

"You're a good second-hand machine," commented one of the examining medical officers after he had passed the stiffest tests.

Forty-two years old, "Vic" Brydges enlisted the first time in

HOSPITAL AID WILL MEET ON TUESDAY

A meeting of the hospital aid will be held on Tuesday, Sept. 12, in the council chamber, at 3.15 p.m.

"Something should be done, in the interests of the people of the town, to protect the purity of the water supply," said Mr. Smith.

"The power station, supplying the town and the two factories, the water-works, the deep wells, the reservoir and the gasoline and oil storage tanks are all vital points," he said. "The veterans are ready to co-operate with the authorities in any capacity to protect these points."

GIRLS INVITED TO JOIN GUIDES

The First Newmarket Company of Girl Guides will hold their opening meeting at the R. S. A. Bugle Band hall at 6.45 p.m. on Monday.

Girls between the ages of 10 and 16, who are interested in becoming guides, are welcome.

December, 1915, when he was 18 years old. Born in the old country, he was brought up in Newmarket and went overseas with the 127th. He is unmarried.

He is an arc-welder in the employ of the Office Specialty Manufacturing Co. and gives up his job to serve king and country.

Newmarket veterans say "Good luck" to their old comrade.

Unique Soil-Testing Paves Way For War Production

"BE WISE, ANALYZE, FERTILIZE," IS YORK COUNTY SLOGAN

Farmers should avail themselves of York county council's soil-testing plan, in preparation for probable increased production demands resulting from war, W. M. Cockburn, York county agricultural representative, told The Era this week.

The agricultural committee of York county council, recognizing that many of the farm soils have become less productive through the depletion of certain nutrients and minerals from long years of continuous cropping, have sponsored what might be termed a "soil testing campaign" for the benefit of the farmers of York county.

Chairman Robt. W. Scott, reeve of Vaughan, with a delegation from his committee, accompanied by the county agricultural representative, W. M. Cockburn, interviewed Dr. G. I. Christie of the Ontario Agricultural College and Prof. G. N. Ruhnke, head of the chemistry and soils department, to ask that this work be undertaken. The plan agreed upon was subsequently unanimously approved by the county council, the work to be undertaken in September.

"The question so common for years has been, 'What do you think of using commercial fertilizers?' Now this has changed to, 'What mixture of fertilizer should I use?' The majority of

MAKE PROGRESS

Electric power wires on the east side of Main St. are being moved to the new Bell Telephone poles at the back of the buildings, by C. C. Rachar, town engineer. Eventually, it is hoped, all wires and poles will be moved from Main St.

farmers now realize that there are deficiencies even in well manured soils and want to know what plant foods need to be stepped up. This prompted the adoption of the campaign slogan (with apologies to a popular radio program): "Be wise—analyze and fertilize."

At every York county school fair the soil specialist of the Ontario Agricultural College, F. E. Morwick, will give demonstrations on soil testing and give instructions on how to take soil samples. Containers and report forms will be distributed and a place designated where the samples of each township are to be left to be picked up by the agricultural representative a week later.

This soil service has never been undertaken in any county and has been made possible in York through the financial support being given by the York county council. Every farmer with soil problems should attend the nearest school fair or get in touch at once with the county agricultural representative, W. M. Cockburn, at Newmarket.

CITIZENS' BAND'S ATTAINMENT AT C. N. E. IS ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIG BAND NIGHT

Missing the big money by a narrow margin, Newmarket Citizens' band won signal honor at the C. N. E. Toronto, last Thursday. The Newmarket band took second place, following Port Colborne Citizens' band, in B class. The winning band retained the York trophy and won \$400 in prize money.

Bandmaster Robert Moore conducted the Newmarket band. This band and the R. S. A.

bugle band are inviting citizens to join with them next Wednesday evening in a celebration of honors won at the Waterloo festival. Citizens give the two bands generous support because they realize that money cannot be spent better than in training young men in an appreciation of music and at the same time providing the town with two splendid organizations ready at all times to give public service.

FIT SCHOOL TO CHILD IS NEW POLICY

REGISTRATION AT PUBLIC SCHOOLS IS SAME AS LAST YEAR

START BEFORE SIX

Five hundred and twelve pupils were registered at Newmarket's three public schools this week. The Era learned from Principal H. A. Jackson. This included 55 beginners.

The registration is about the same as last year, and it is likely to climb, as it did last year, to about 525 or 530 by the end of the school year.

Mr. Jackson was asked at what age children were permitted to start school.

"There is no hard and fast rule," he said. "Beginners are very rarely less than five and a half, and then they must be exceptionally advanced. At one time the school-beginning age was six, but at that time we used to admit children at Easter. We no longer do that, because it disrupts the schools."

"The child should be out of public school between the ages of 13 and 14, as public school now requires eight years for the average pupil. An exceptional pupil can do it in less than eight years, usually by taking grades three and four in the one year. That is about the only place in the curriculum where you can save a year."

"If a child above average is kept dilly-dallying, using only part of his abilities, he may get into a permanent habit of using only part of his abilities."

"On the other hand, some parents expect their children to do too much. It is just as fatal for a child to go ahead too fast as to go ahead too slowly. A child will lose interest when his work is too hard just as quickly as when his work is too easy."

BREAKS HIP AT 93 WON'T LEAVE HOME

Mrs. Elisha (Diane) Mann, 93-year-old Queen St. resident, who has been crippled with arthritis for some time past and gets around the house with crutches, fell in her own house on Tuesday evening and broke her hip.

William Donaldson, a next-door neighbor, who was out in his yard, heard her cry out and went into the house. He called her brother, Frank H. Draper, who lives with her, but had not heard her fall.

They carried her to a bed. Dr. G. E. Case found that her hip was broken.

Mrs. Mann, who in an interview with The Era only a few weeks ago, when she sold a metewrite to Wesley Squires, antique dealer, for \$7, spoke proudly of her independence and good health, except for recent arthritis, has refused to go to the hospital.

Today Dr. J. H. Wesley, her family physician, persuaded her to go to York county hospital.

Frank Draper's son, Aubrey, died on Aug. 17, and Mr. Draper has come to live with Mrs. Mann. A sister, Mrs. Margaret Hartley, and her daughter, Mrs. Watson Carley, Toronto, were informed of the accident and were expected to come to look after her. She has one other brother and two other sisters living.

RONALD McDONALD TAKES TORONTO GIRL AN BRIDE

A quiet but pretty ceremony took place last Thursday evening at the United Church parsonage, Aurora, when Miss Mary Lalnabury, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lalnabury, Toronto, became the bride of Mr. Ronald McDonald, son of Mr. C. E. McDonald, of Newmarket. Rev. Dr. E. J. Thompson performed the ceremony.

The bride was becomingly gowned in a dress of lime green crepe with white accessories and wore a corsage of ten roses. Mrs. Sherman Day was bridesmaid and wore a dress of mauve chiffon with white accessories and a corsage of roses. Mr. Sherman Day was best man.

After the ceremony a reception was held at the home of the groom's father, Mr. C. E. McDonald, Gorham St., for the immediate families.

The couple will reside in Weston.

Redmen Overwhelm Norsemen As Winter Comes, Mercury 18-10

GILES AND BRAMMER USE EINSTEIN'S FOURTH DIMENSION

FANS ARE CHILLY

By JACK PEPIIATT

Coasting along in the wake of a numbing wind suspected of roaring down from the Great Bear regions, the Redmen mopped up the Sutton Greenshirts in the first completed game of the play-offs Tuesday.

The Redmen all-starred in slamming out this overwhelming 18-10 victory. The deciding spurge came in the fourth inning after the Indians had opened up with a seven-run attack in the second.

Niles and VanZant were the starting battery duo for Newmarket. Burkholder received and Milroy sent them across for the northmen. The sixth brought trouble to Niles, and Alex. Webster took on the rescue job.

Brammer singled to start off the fourth. This was followed with a fly-out by Cunningham and Brammer scored after the catch. Peters sent out a single and was knocked in on Van-

Redmen meet Sutton tonight and Tuesday at Sutton on Tuesday night and at Newmarket next Thursday, if another game is necessary.

Sutton and Newmarket will meet here tonight, at Sutton on Tuesday night and at Newmarket next Thursday, if another game is necessary.

Zant's two-bagger. Cain then stepped up to the plate and clouted a terrific four-bagger to the centre field suburbs. The Greenshirts tried hard but were unable to overcome this 11-2 lead. They garnered four runs in the fifth and sixth, sending Niles to the showers. However, the locals kept up their barrage, chalking up seven more runs.

One feature of this game was Speedy Giles' clean-cut homer to left field in the fifth. Speedy waited a long time to get this round trip. Brammer also collected a four-ple swat in the sixth, knocking in three men before him.

The Redmen were easily the better nine on the night's play. Only their crowd-raising antics kept the fans thawed out. The two teams meet here again this evening.

Sutton Evens It Up On Home Acre, Plow 'Em Under

THAT MCNEIL BOY OF SUTTON IS HARD TO HOLD DOWN

By virtue of a 7-3 victory on their home diamond last evening, Sutton softballers moved up on even terms with Newmarket Redmen in the final series for softball supremacy.

Newmarket drew first blood in the initial inning, with Brammer doubling to second and Cunningham also getting a two-bagger to score him. Gibney, VanZant and Giles flied out to the field.

Sutton were retired in consecutive order in their half of the first inning but it was in the second inning that the northmen really began to click, scoring two runs in the second, third and fifth innings and one in the fourth to make a grand total of seven runs. Newmarket retaliated with one in the fifth and one in the sixth, registering only three runs in the seven innings.

McNeil for Sutton plied a heady game of ball, holding the Redmen to six hits while Sutton collected ten hits off the combined efforts of Mitchell and Niles.

Brammer for Newmarket was

ENJOY BIRTHDAY PARTY

A very pleasant event took place on Saturday, Sept. 2, when about 20 friends and neighbors of Miss Lou Newton, Pearson's Crossing, met at her home to celebrate her birthday with her. The afternoon and evening were spent in social chat and games, and a bounteous supper was served by the hostess, after which the guests departed for their homes, wishing their hostess many happy returns of the day and thanking her for the lovely time.

outstanding at the bat, collecting a couple of two-baggers, a walk, and reaching first on a fielder's choice.

Tomlinson for Sutton was the big noise at the bat, connecting for a nice homer in the third inning with McKeveloy on first base to account for two runs.

Hamilton, shortstop for Sutton, drew particular attention by his all-around fielding, covering a large territory behind the infield. The Newmarket loss was attributed mainly to the reshuffling of players caused by the absence of some of the regulars.

Umpires: Jack Crozier and Kenneth Trivett.

Pheasants Placed In New N. Gwillimbury Game Area

SIXTEEN DEPUTY WARDENS WILL WATCH FOR PHEASANT SAFETY

North Gwillimbury township has been declared a game preserve and 350 pheasants have been released in the township. The Era learned from Fred Peel, Keswick, clerk of the township.

A game association will be formed to assist in maintaining the flock, providing food in the winter time and helping to enlist public support.

Sixteen voluntary deputy-game wardens will be appointed to enforce the law.

There is likely to be a one-day open season even this year. It is said that this open season does not seriously reduce the pheasant population. Only cock pheasants are shot and many hunters are unsuccessful.

Some township residents may possibly undertake to raise young pheasants for the provincial department from eggs supplied by the department.

SWORN IN FOR SPECIAL POLICE GUARD DUTY

Earl Lowe, Newmarket, and three young men from Richmond Hill were today sworn in as special constables for guard duty at French river along the C. N. R. right-of-way.

Era advertising is effective.

TAKES ILL

Miss Mary Henry, who was on the staff of the Salvation Army camp at Jackson's Point, was taken ill and is at home convalescing. She expects to have to rest for some time.

BAND WILL GIVE ANOTHER CONCERT

The Newmarket Citizens Band will play the following program, with the assistance of Rev. A. J. Patstone, who will be the guest artist.

The program will commence at 8.30 sharp on Sunday evening, Sept. 10, at the fair grounds. In the event of rain or stormy weather the concert will be held in the town hall. J. O. Little will be the chairman, and Bandmaster Robt. Moore conductor.

PROGRAM: Hymn Tune, Deep Harmony, Broadbent, March, Hk Honor, Florence, Toronto test piece, Tchaikowsky, Arr. by Foden, Song, "The Lord is My Light," (Soloist, Rev. A. J. Patstone).

Selection, Southern Melodies, Flacher, Cornet solo, Bella of St. Mary, Waterloo test piece, Sunny Spain, King, American Sketch, "By the Swanee River," Middleton, God Save the King.

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WAR

Britain declared war on Germany on Sunday and it is expected that Canada will do likewise today. It is the third great tragedy of our time. First was the world war of 1914-18. Second was the world depression of 1930-39, generally recognized as the economic aftermath of the tremendous waste and destruction of the great war. And now before we have paid for that war we are launched on another period of waste of human life, human effort and materials, which, whatever its outcome, is likely to have an economic aftermath more tragic than the great war, the great depression or the present unknown depths into which we now descend.

Must There Always Be Wars?

We have no sympathy with the fatalistic viewpoint that there will always be wars, based on the argument that there always have been wars. It is true that the "war to end war" didn't prove to be that, but it should be remembered that it was the first "war to end war." The League of Nations, with all its proved faults and weaknesses, was the noblest conception of international law and order in history. The world court, the Kellogg-Briand peace pact, the rejected Geneva protocol which would have outlawed war, and the Locarno agreement all represented a great advance in international thought. It is surely not too much to hope that there may emerge from this second "war to end war" a lasting peace and an effective "parliament of man."

War At Its Best

From war itself of course we cannot expect anything but penalties. War is wrong, killing is wrong, contrary to our religious beliefs, and we cannot expect good out of evil. The most we can hope for from war is that we may, by meeting force with force, compel our adversaries to sit down with us again at the round-table to plan a new world order. If we should get that far, then what worth-while we may accomplish will be limited, as it was at Versailles, only by our own short-sightedness and vindictiveness. If we could sit down at that round-table, separated from us now by we know not what tragedy and hardship, in a spirit of generosity and love of our enemies, then we need never worry again about war.

War Defeats Itself

The difficulty is that it is almost impossible for people to make the sacrifices that modern warfare demands and to emerge with anything approaching a spirit of generosity toward their opponents. In the last war, for instance, the most enlightened and generous attitude toward the vanquished was shown by President Woodrow Wilson, representing the great power which had been engaged in the struggle the shortest time and had suffered the least (indeed, had prospered). The most vindictive attitude was that of Premier Georges Clemenceau, representing among the allies the great power that had suffered the most. So great was the bitterness toward the defeated that the winners, as we have subsequently and gradually recognized, imposed on the defeated nations impossible terms. It is unthinkable that we would make the same blunder again, but it is quite possible that after another long, bitter struggle we shall not be able to see the mistakes of Versailles as clearly as we see them today. We must remember too that our own war propaganda, although it may strengthen us for the struggle, will not help us at its close to make a settlement that is likely to be permanent.

A Possible Course

A hope is that very early in the war our governments may enunciate the points for which we are fighting. Already they are making direct appeals to the German people, and they may decide to tell them at once what treatment they will receive in the event of an allied victory. They may tell them, for instance, that they will have to give up Czechoslovakia, that they will be allowed to keep the Sudetenland, that they will be allowed to remain united with Austria, what is to be the future status of Danzig and the corridor, whether Germany is to have any of her 1914 colonies restored, whether Germany must disarm, whether Germany must pay reparations or whether Hitler alone is to be blamed for the destruction and death in Poland. We may in this way bring about the hoped-for revolution of the German people and at the same time, by committing ourselves in advance, avoid a vindictive peace like Versailles.

Still A Hope

Only generous assurances will induce the German people to revolt at an early date, for we cannot agree with the so commonly expressed opinion that the quarrel is with only Hitler. Our quarrel is with only Hitler, but there is much to support the belief that the mass of the German people identify themselves with Hitler in a quarrel with us. Hitler is just a phenomenon, a demagogue who has sown seeds of rebellion on the fertile soil of Versailles, a trouble-maker who has forced from us successive admissions of error after more scrupulous and peaceful statesmen like Stresemann had failed.

War Guilt

Hitler himself is guilty of every possible breach of good faith, and he is clearly responsible for precipitating the present war. But, if this war is to end war, we must not forget our own failures in the past and our own contribution to the present calamity. We can no longer appease Hitler, but we must not cease to appease the German people until we have righted every wrong and made the German people into a peace-loving member of the family of nations.

TELEVISION AT THE C. N. E.

One of the attractions at the Canadian National Exhibition this year is a demonstration of television. You, or whoever takes you to see it, pay ten cents for admission, of which half goes to the Toronto Star Fresh Air Fund. First you see one of your friends or some member of the company go into a room, with a glass wall so that you can see what is going on, to be "televised." A young lady interviews the subject. They stand on a platform before a screen with strong lights and other equipment glaring at them. It is so warm where they stand that soon they begin to perspire and you think that television artists will have to be well paid.

Not Available in Canada

Then you move on into another room to see the results. You could go on in while your friend is being televised, and hear him interviewed. However, you wait for your friend and go on in together and hear the next person interviewed by a relief interviewer. You look into a little window in a large radio and there are the two persons talking to each other, with the voices reproduced remarkably well. When the interview is over, the young interviewer goes on to tell the audience that the Canadian Broadcasting Corporation is not welcoming television to Canada until it has reached a more satisfactory state of development, but that you can now buy radios to which television equipment can be attached if and when it is available. The interviewer explains that one of the difficulties in Canada at the present time is the cost of providing programs.

WHEAT SURPLUS?

The Searle Grain Company of Winnipeg in a recent bulletin states that the alleged glut of wheat on the markets of the world today consists of about 550 million bushels, or about a tenth of the total annual consumption, "or sufficient for only 37 days consumption by the people of the world." The report says that this is not a great margin of safety, and recalls that in spite of the great surpluses of 1933 and 1934 there was fear of shortage in 1937. If wheat growers had taken the advice of the London wheat committee in 1933 to reduce acreage, the report says, there would have been a severe shortage of wheat between 1934 and 1938.

Widespread Need

When speaking of world consumption and world needs, this article is just referring to demand as supported by actual ability to buy. In addition, the report states, there is a tremendous need for more wheat unaccompanied by the ability to buy. The grain company report quotes a League of Nations report on this subject: "Millions of people in all parts of the globe are either suffering from inadequate physical development, or from disease due to malnutrition, or are living in a state of subnormal health, which could be improved if they consumed more or different food."

An Attack on Tariffs

Now we would like to quote the four concluding paragraphs of this grain company report: "In view of this situation, it seems incredible that countries badly needing food would deliberately place hindrances in the way of its importation, unless it was that these countries had no alternative."

"Investigation reveals that the wheat importing countries actually had no alternative, and that they were forced to limit the amount of wheat they purchased, for the simple reason that the wheat exporting countries themselves had restricted, by means of high tariffs and other devices, the amount of goods which they would accept from their wheat customers overseas, and which goods were the only form of money their wheat customers had."

"Considering the great need for additional food in the world today, obviously, then, what is needed is not a further restriction of the already insufficient supplies of food stuffs, but simply that governments, particularly those of the wheat exporting countries, should lower existing high tariffs, and should remove other harmful restrictions to international trade which today actually prevent untold millions of people from securing the necessary food stuffs and other raw materials they require."

"To place hindrances, directly or indirectly, in the way of large numbers of people selling their own goods on world markets, and so in turn to make it difficult for these people to purchase the wheat and other food stuffs they so badly need, not only impoverishes the producers, but also causes suffering among the industrial workers and others who live in towns and cities abroad, and therefore does not seem to be in accordance with the dictates of humanity, nor in keeping with the principles of Christianity."

THE FRIENDLY TOWN

Barrie, Midland and Hanover newspapers are claiming the title, "The Friendly Town," for their respective municipalities. Newmarket used to have this title painted on its gateposts, and with peculiar appropriateness, for Newmarket is one of the principal centres in Ontario of the not-too-strong Quaker or Friends church. While the church in Newmarket is not strong today, it is still active, and a large proportion of Newmarket people, exclusive of first-generation residents, have Quaker blood in their veins. In addition to the meeting-house in Newmarket, there are two meeting-houses on Yonge St., two in the one churchyard at Pine Orchard, and there is the famous Sharon Temple, erected by the Children of Peace, another Quaker group. In addition, Pickering College is Quaker in origin and still has Quakers on the board and Quakerism in its traditions. Indeed, yes, Newmarket is a "Friendly" town.

YOUTH NOT PRINCIPAL SINNER

Commenting on the Globe and Mail's recent indiscreet suggestion that Mr. King should have had Mr. Chamberlain tell Berlin "that if the crew of Nazi gangsters didn't leave other nations alone Canada would go over with Britain and kick the stuffing out of them," the Midland Free Press says: "We have been a little impatient with Mr. King's alliences ourselves, but we cannot imagine that the ebullient youngster who wrote that G. and M. editorial would have helped quiet the European situation by such schoolboy threats." We don't know if a youngster wrote the editorial

The Common Round

"THE SUN IS A-SHINING TO WELCOME THE DAY"

By Isabel Inglis Colville

"The sun is a-shining to welcome the day, heigh ho, come to the fair," and "What a picture!" were the thoughts which went through my head as we drove into Exhibition park on Saturday.

White sails against a blue sky on a bluer sea, while the gulls circled overhead, and the stone lions stared into space, majestically ignoring the crowds, who, for these two hectic weeks, disturb their solemn vigil.

Never before had we attended the big fair with absolutely no program in view. I've thought since, that we, and the 269,998 other people, who were enjoying the sunshine and music, the laughter of children and the feeling of freedom from care, were there to relax from the strain of a weekend, which bade fair to frazzle nerves, and upset one's physical and mental equilibrium.

While my better half went off to join the veterans, my cousin and I wandered into the horticultural building. There is a feeling of restfulness there. Nature and art combine to give us a scene of ordered beauty. There were blooms, which, by size and color, fairly stunned one with the feeling of how futile it would be to try to produce such.

There were water lilies, pink, blue and crimson, floating on placid pool and tiny stamens; miniature water falls and rockeries, but I think perhaps for sheer beauty, the scene created by Dales of Brampton took precedence.

The revolving stand, loaded with orchids, was a mass of color, and although I am not an orchid addict, the grouping of color reflected in the mirror which gave an effect of more bloom in the distance; the wonderful sprays of orchids of every color and shape, hanging as if in their native habitats, the cascade of water, each and all made up a spectacle of breath-taking loveliness, before which people stood and looked and turned to look again, loath to leave.

Then, I wonder how many of you saw the dolls of France? There was a doll for every province, costumed as the peasants of these provinces have dressed for hundreds of years.

They were gay and colorful, but one thought of the women they represented, their hearts torn between loyalty to country and the affection which bids one cling to those one loves.

India's carved screens have always made me want to quietly abstract one and take it home to study and love and live with, but, being a law-abiding citizen, I smother my baser instincts and admire and try not to covet.

And then we sat down to listen to the band. It is still a matter of amazement to me to see the number of men, women and children who sit down with an air of, "now I'm going to enjoy myself," and proceed to do so. There is very little talking.

25 YEARS AGO

From Era file, Sept. 4, 1914

Miss May Milligan has left to teach in Berlin.

Miss Mary Lloyd has been visiting in Schomberg.

Miss Lila Davey, who has accepted a position as teacher of the New Lowell school, left on Monday.

Misses Rena Muir, Esther Stark, Maggie Morning and Marion Stewart, of Newmarket, left to attend Normal School in Toronto on Monday last.

Miss Edna Muir, who has been home on a three-months' vacation, returned to her duties in Toronto this week.

Pickering College re-opens on Sept. 8.

Mr. T. H. Morton of Newmarket has been appointed the agent in this locality for a firm of municipal debtors.

The public schools re-opened on Tuesday with increased numbers of pupils and with the staff increased to 11 teachers. Five rooms of the new King George school are now occupied.

Mr. Wm. Barnes is the new assistant at the metropolitan station.

The attendance at the high school has taken a big jump. There are 160 regular students already enrolled. This constitutes an increase of 17 per cent over the corresponding figures of any previous year. Another teacher has

been added to the staff and the building is being taxed to its utmost to accommodate the large number of students.

There was a meeting of the town council on Monday evening.

The Newmarket cricket team will play St. Mark's of Toronto an all-day match on Labor Day, Sept. 5. This is the last game of the season for the Newmarket team.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Brooks have arrived home after spending seven weeks on a trip to Vancouver, Portland and intermediate points in the Canadian northwest. They returned home by way of Chicago.

MARRIED—At Elm St. Methodist church, Toronto, by the pastor, Rev. Dr. W. H. Wilson, on Aug. 26, 1914, Eva Olive, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Drilling, to Preston A. Mills of Newmarket.

everyone seems to respect his neighbor's right to sleep his soul in harmony, but even if one's tongue is quiet, and ears open, one can still SEE things. One woman sat down just in front of me, she sighed wearily, and then kicked off her shoes.

Through her gauze stockings I could see sadly blistered toes, and winced with sympathy when she had to put said shoes on again.

Then there was a small boy who was never still a moment, he didn't talk, but if his brain was as active as his body, it must have done a tremendous deal of work.

But, although I didn't think he was paying any attention to the band, unless when an unusually loud crash of cymbals resounded, the minute "O Canada" sent its glorious chords over the audience, bringing them to their feet, he proclaimed to his mother, "I know that," and stood quietly till it was over.

But through all the beauty, peace, music and gaiety, there sounded the alien note from the menace, hanging like the sword of Damocles over us.

In the air, the swallows dipped low in graceful flight, but high above them soared the red birds of war, their high drone bringing to mind what they COULD do.

Then came the sound of martial music and the tramp of marching feet, as the comrades of Great War days marched again. Of course they march every year, but this year there was a poignancy in the sound of marching men; so many more than usual, to stand behind what Britain stands for, in this crisis at any rate, the determination not to give away the freedom of the nations, for, if she did, she would be bringing nearer and nearer the day when the freedom of speech, religion and action which we deem our right would be in danger.

But as one looked over the lovely scene, the threat of war seemed far away, until one saw the way men grabbed the papers as they came along.

It was a day of strangely mixed emotions, but the big fair provides a splendid cushion to rest on and from which to view the world with all its latest marvels of science and art, in miniature, and, so, if one can, forget for a brief space that war was never nearer Canada, for now the ocean is no guarantee of isolation.

But, in spite of wars and rumors of war, the big fair goes on, and as we left the grounds, where lights were beginning to lend a fairyland enchantment, and where the moon was silvering inland sea and land, war seemed far away, and as all this beauty sank deep into our souls, we felt that surely, in a broader sense, than the song, "Love—brotherhood" would find a way.

50 YEARS AGO

From Era file, Sept. 6, 1889

Mr. Wm. Roche was in town on Tuesday.

Miss Eck was visiting in Barrie last week.

Miss Maud Wallace is visiting in the city for a couple of weeks.

Mr. Chas. Cole spent Sunday in town with Mr. J. W. Stephens.

Mr. C. M. Hughes is spending a week or so at Berlin and expects to return home this evening.

from St. Gungulph, and the word acquired new meaning from its use in a popular British song during the Turko-Russian war of 1877.

"We don't want to fight, but by Jingo if we do, we've got the ships, we've got the men, we've got the money too."

Incidentally, Andrew, I got the job. There were some doubts at first, but last night I encountered reality on the night shift, (10 hours), 7 p.m. to 6 a.m. What a night! That's about all for now, Andrew. There's no use denying I'm homesick, 'cause I am. You can write me, Coachman Williams, Mackenzie Island, Aug. 28.

It took three hours for me to

Conscription

The Canadian Corps Association is urging the conscription of manpower and wealth. If conscription of men becomes desirable or necessary, it will certainly be unacceptable to a large proportion of the population without some measure of conscription of wealth. We never could see why one man should give his life while another man prospered.

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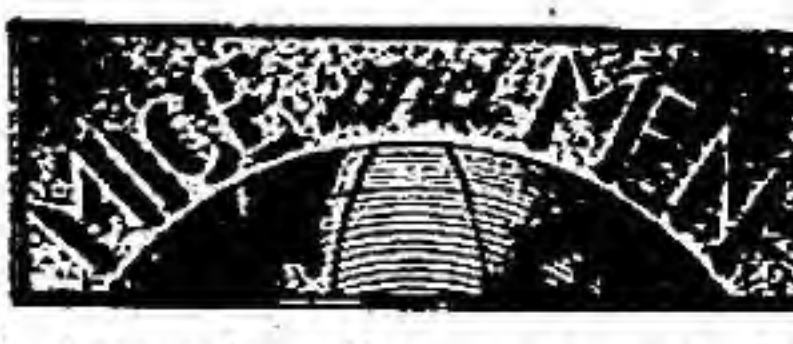
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On Wednesday British announced sinking of three Nazi merchant ships. The air force again rained leaflets over Germany, while Poles evacuated Warsaw as German troops drew nearer.

It was reported that Nazi warplanes struck at England on Wednesday but were turned back. French reported gains along the Siegfried line, the German fortified defence parallel to the French border.

Rev. L. W. Hill and Mr. J. W. Stephens represented Newmarket at the Methodist district meeting in Bradford yesterday.

Mrs. Roe and daughter arrived home from the Old Country on Saturday night and were cordially welcomed. They are looking well and enjoyed the trip immensely.

Mr. J. S. Roadhouse, uncle of Mr. Samuel Roadhouse of this town, who has seen 70 harvests in this country, says he never saw anything to equal the growth of this year. The other day in Mariposa he measured barley over five feet and oats over six feet in height.

About 100 people tramped to the upper end of Prospect Ave. on Thursday evening of last week to see Mrs. Moses Bogart's floral beauty, her night-blooming cereus (cactus) having come to maturity during her absence from home. It only retains its beauty and aromatic fragrance a few hours after midnight. This is only the third one of the kind that has bloomed in this town.

Mrs. Bogart now has some mottled day lilies in bloom which are very pretty.

During the dark shades of Tuesday night, probably by the light of the moon, a pear tree in Mr. John Bigson's garden was stripped of nearly all its fruit.

Mrs. J. B. Caldwell's lawn is adorned with an array of buds in full bloom.

Owing to the delay in getting material, work on the waterworks extension is not likely to start for several days.

MARRIED—At the residence of the bride's father, on Aug. 27, by Weight B. Butler, D. D., Rev. Edwin Alonzo Haines, of Haverhill, Mass., son of Elder C. H. Haines, of Newmarket, to Miss Hattie Brazier of Brooklyn, N. Y.

So, thanking my American friend profusely, I began to walk the five miles back to North Bay. With every step I took, I thought of unpleasant ways of dying, and hoped . . . but, oh well! (I hope this little anecdote can have no international complications.)

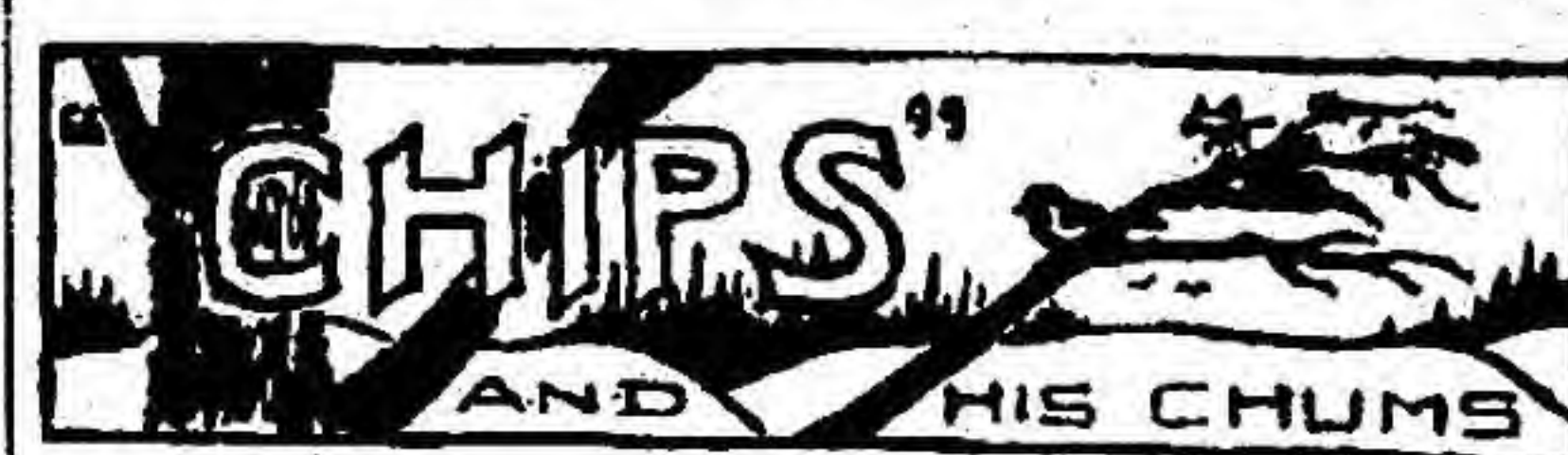
The next part of my hike was to be most interesting. North from North Bay stretched two hills, two of the longest and steepest hills I have ever been my displeasure to climb. At the top of one of these baby mountains, a paving company was laying a road, and I paused a moment to watch them—(sort of a busman's holiday, Andrew).

Since the gallery consisted only of myself, the boys on the shovels paid little attention to the interest I was showing in their work. The foreman, on the other hand, became quite chummy, until I tentatively suggested that the boys should have some fuel oil for their shovels, to keep the asphalt binder from clinging to the shovels.

Then, Andrew, I received a shock. Such vile language! Our friend, the foreman, was definitely not an even-tempered man. It seemed I was inferring that he didn't know his job and he hastened to inform me that he hadn't been doing that kind of blinkety-blank work for 20 blinkety-blank years without knowing what he was doing. Somewhat abashed and crestfallen, I continued on my way.

Mackenzie Island, Aug. 28.

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THE CHICKADEES COMPLAIN OF A TUFTED TORMENTOR

BY RUTH DINGMAN HEBB

"We've just said good-bye to the Veeries — or as the learned Mr. Pecker would say, Wilson's Thrushes — who spent the summer in our woods," Mrs. Phoebe remarked to her friend, Hattie, the White-breasted Nuthatch.

"I'm sorry they've gone," said Hattie. "Their evening vespers were so pretty. However, now that September's here, we may expect to say good-bye to a good many of our friends. When do you go?"

"Oh, not for a few weeks yet," answered the Phoebe. "This warm weather we've been having makes me feel that it is still summer time."

"There'll be lots going on up at the lake these days," said Hattie. "So many of the ducks are moving about now, some coming here from farther north, and others, who have been here for the summer, going on south."

"For that matter, there's lots of activity around here too," said the Phoebe. "The Warblers of all kinds will be passing through here during the month of September."

"Who was that?" asked Hattie suddenly. "I just saw a little brown bird dart into the bushes."

"There it is again," said the Phoebe. "It's a Wren, but smaller and darker than Jenny, the House Wren, and finely barred across its underparts. And it has a short tail."

"I can hear you talking about me," piped up the little Wren. And, of course, you know that I'm Willie, the Winter Wren."

"Why of course we do," Hattie assured him. "We were just describing you carefully before naming you, so that there could be no possible mistake. Aren't you down from the north rather early?"

"Perhaps I am here a little on the early side," admitted Willie. "But I had a nice long summer up north and I thought it would be a good idea to bring my family southwards in good time."

"I'm sure we're very glad to welcome you to our community," said Hattie.

"Hello everyone!" came a cheery voice just then, and Young Chips, the Chickadee, and his mate, Merry, alighted beside the other birds.

"How are you two today?" in-

quired Hattie. "Not terribly well," replied Merry. "We didn't sleep at all well last night."

"Why, what in the world was the matter?" asked the Phoebe. "There was a Great Horned Owl right near us," explained Young Chips. "He started calling and calling early this morning about four o'clock, and from the time we first heard him, that was the end of all peace of mind for us."

"I don't blame you," said Hattie. "The Great Horned Owl is one of the most hated and feared creatures of the woods — that is, in the minds of the smaller creatures."

"And no wonder!" said Merry. "He's more than twice the size of the Screech Owl — a great big fellow, with ear tufts that stick up like devil's horns, and he is a sort of yellow streak, barred with black and white. And those big, fierce, round eyes of his make me shudder."

"Why, he even eats poultry, he's so big and clever — and to mention some smaller birds, mice, and many other mammals," added Young Chips.

"He sounded pretty awful last night. I assure you," said Merry. "I've seen several different kinds of owls. He's a large saying 'hoot, hoot, hoot' sort of owl. Then he changed to a weird shriek, something like the Screech Owl's, anding up with a blood-curdling 'gr-gr-gr-gr' call all by itself. It certainly upset our nerves."

"It sounds very unpleasant," said the Phoebe. "I wonder if you will hear him again."

"Most likely," said Young Chips. "He'll probably keep it up for several nights. And when he isn't calling we'll be wondering who he's eating up or who he's streaking about in pursuit of on those big, silent wings of his."

"You certainly sound depressed about it," said Hattie. "Do cheer up! Let's go over to town and have some fun."

"That's a good idea," agreed the Chickadees.

Just then they were joined by Very Young Chips, who stuttered excitedly.

"Well, what is it?" said his father sternly.

POLICE COURT DRUNK DRIVER GETS 2 WEEKS, TAKE LICENSE

After reserving judgment one week Magistrate W. F. Woodliffe at police court here on Tuesday sentenced Donald Munroe, 35, East York, to the Ontario Reformatory for a definite period of six months and an indeterminate period not to exceed six months the sentence to date back to Munroe's arrest, Aug. 16.

"You had a long term in the reformatory the last time you were in trouble and how long did you serve then?" asked Magistrate Woodliffe.

"I served 12 months and 25 days," answered Munroe.

Albert E. Bleakley, 22, Toronto, who was jointly charged with Munroe with breaking and entering into a barber shop at Schomberg and theft of goods, was sentenced to the reformatory for a definite period of three months and an indeterminate period not to exceed three months. His sentence was also dated back to his arrest, Aug. 15.

"Bleakley, you have never been in trouble before and you have no record," Magistrate Woodliffe stated.

"I am ashamed of myself and I am sorry for the inconvenience I caused Mr. Brown at Schomberg," stated Bleakley.

"You are old enough to know better than to do a thing like this, and let this be a lesson to you," stated the magistrate. "Munroe didn't learn anything from his last sentence and he ended up back here. If you come back to court you'll likely get what Munroe got the first time."

An 18-year-old Keswick boy was given suspended sentence and placed on probation for one year after he pleaded guilty last week to a charge of breaking and entering into a service station at Keswick and was remanded in custody one week for sentence.

Rail was set at \$2,000 each for Benedict Cruickshanks and Peter Wilson, both of Toronto, and they were remanded in custody one week for hearing when they were unable to raise bail. The pair are charged with breaking and entering into the C. N. R. station at Sutton and theft of a strong-box containing money orders, drafts, etc., and also with receiving stolen goods. Constable J. M. Hay, police investigator, Toronto, laid the charges.

On a charge of driving while intoxicated William Gibbons, Beaverton, was sentenced to jail for

14 days and in addition his driver's license was cancelled for two months.

"On Monday evening, Sept. 4, I noticed a car driven by Gibbons zig-zagging across a gravel road in Georgina township," testified County Constable Alex. McCallum. "I stopped the car and Gibbons was alone in it. He produced his operator's license but failed to produce his ownership permit and said it was none of my business where it was. Gibbons swayed when he walked, his breath smelled very strongly of liquor, and when I took him to a doctor he said Gibbons was drunk."

POLICE COURT NEWMARKET DOCTOR'S RADIO PROTEST FAILS

A charge of consuming liquor, while being on the interdicted list, laid against William Greig, Pefferlaw, was adjourned one week by Magistrate W. F. Woodliffe in police court here on Tuesday. Defence counsel, Mr. McDonald, Cannington, produced a letter from the Ontario liquor control board stating under the authority of the order Greig was forbidden from purchasing or having liquor in his possession but that he could consume liquor.

Crown Attorney N. L. Mathews, K. C., stated that he had never heard of an interdicted person being allowed to consume and that he wished an opportunity to investigate the matter.

County Constable Wm. Hill stated that he found Greig lying on his bed fully clothed at 3:45 a.m. and that he tried several times to rouse Greig but was not successful.

Convicted on a charge of common assault, Charles Barton, Queensville, took a full term of ten days rather than pay a fine of \$10 and costs.

W. D. Miller, Queensville, the complainant, stated that as he was riding his bicycle to work one morning Barton came out on the road and hit him and his wheel fell over and he landed in the ditch after going over the front of the bicycle. Miller also stated that Barton had twisted his wrist while he was in the ditch and bruised his leg and that Barton sat on his ribs and held him down.

Miller stated that the only reason he could see for the assault was that he had served a notice to Barton from his landlord telling him to vacate the premises.

On a charge of theft of a lawnmower and wheel from Charles Rowntree, Newmarket, Herman Vanderberg, Baldwin, was sentenced to jail for 30 days and the goods were ordered to be returned to Rowntree.

Vanderberg testified that he bought some scrap iron from J. E. Nesbitt and that he loaded it on a truck at the north end of town and that after the things were unloaded at his home he saw the mower and thought it belonged with the junk he had bought.

For not having a radio license Dr. J. C. R. Edwards, Newmarket, was fined \$3 and costs.

Dr. Edwards stated that he had complained several times about the type of program sponsored by the CBC but that he had had no results.

Magistrate Woodliffe told the doctor that after he bought his radio license he could complain about the broadcasts.

On a charge of reckless driving Herbert Green, Orillia, was fined \$25 and costs, or ten days, and in addition the magistrate ordered that he be not granted a permit for six months. Green took the full term instead of paying the fine imposed.

County Constable A. Fleury testified that Green's car left the

highway and travelled along the ditch for 77 feet and that it then went back on the highway again only to return to the ditch and break off a mail box and nearly turn over. Constable Fleury testified that Green had been drinking and that he was in no condition to drive a car. The constable also testified that Green had no operator's license at the time of the offence.

After 12 crown witnesses had been heard and three defence witnesses in a hearing that lasted four hours, the reckless driving charge laid against Irene Armstrong, Newmarket, as the result of an accident here two weeks ago when George Muir, 50, was fatally injured, was dismissed until next week, so that another defence witness can be heard. C. T. S. Evans, Bradford, is defence counsel.

Fred Thompson testified that he tested the Armstrong car after the accident and that it had no defects that would cause an accident.

Mrs. Laura Ruddy, Toronto, testified that if she had been in Mr. Muir's place she would not have run across the intersection after he first saw the car, as it was going so slowly there was plenty of time for it to stop or pass between Mr. Muir and the curb.

Dan Teasdale, Newmarket, grandson of Mr. Muir, stated that he witnessed the accident from in front of the hotel but that he did not know it was his grandfather who had been hurt till some time later.

George Armstrong, father of Irene, testifying for the defence, stated that he was teaching Irene to drive and that he told her to make a wide turn on to Timothy St.

"We saw Mr. Muir and Irene blew the horn and Mr. Muir turned around and took a few steps and then hesitated and I thought he would remain and let us by, so we went on," Mr. Armstrong said.

"Then Mr. Muir started to run and Irene pulled south as quickly as she could and I got to the emergency brake as fast as I could. The car was quite close to Mr. Muir at this time and I was so busy trying to avoid hitting him that I didn't see what happened."

"You didn't change your speed from the time you blew your horn till you hit the bank steps, did you?" asked Mr. Mathews in cross-examining Irene Armstrong.

"No," answered Miss Armstrong. "If you had applied your brakes after you first saw Mr. Muir wouldn't your car have stopped almost instantly?" "Yes,"

"Why didn't you stop your car after Mr. Muir started to run?" asked Magistrate Woodliffe.

"When Mr. Muir started to run in front of me the first thing I did was to try and turn my car and there wasn't time to put on my brakes," she answered.

A charge of reckless driving laid against Max Alesson, Toronto, by Constable Ferguson was adjourned one week for hearing, as Alesson stated he was the owner of the car involved in the accident but that the car had been driven by his brother. The brother will receive a summons to appear in court next week.

A charge of reckless driving laid against Walter Robertson, Toronto, was adjourned one week so that the crown attorney could decide whether or not the road in front of a service station is a public highway. Constable Ferguson stated that Robertson took a short cut from Yonge St. across to Eagle St. by crossing in front of Cook's service station. "There was another car parked between the station and the gas pumps and Robertson drove between the car and pumps and went right on without stopping. Mr. Cook received a warning from another man just in time to step back and avoid being hit by Robertson."

For careless driving on Yonge St. L. W. Joslin, Washington, was fined \$10 and costs. On similar charges of careless driving, Joe Hillman, Robert Forbes and Fred Luxmire, all of Toronto, were each fined \$5 and costs. For attempting to pass when the road ahead was not clear of approaching traffic, Marlon Myers, Mitchell, was fined \$5 and costs.

"It is very dangerous business to cut out on Yonge St. where it is so narrow south of Richmond Hill and especially to do it on Sunday night when there is a lot of traffic," Magistrate Woodliffe told Hillman. "That kind of driving is a nuisance on the highway and the motorist who does it is a nuisance."

Constable Ferguson stated that Mr. Miller had stopped his car on Yonge St. to allow another motorist to turn onto Huron St. and that Joslin failed to stop and went right into Miller's car, causing damage to both cars. The constable stated that the brakes on the Joslin car were the reason for the accident, as they were in a bad condition.

Constable Ferguson stated that Luxmire was out of the line of traffic while going over a hill and that he and another motorist in front of him were forced onto the shoulder of the road to avoid being hit by Luxmire.

"Two charges of assault and being intoxicated laid against Acl Miller, Keswick, were adjourned another week. A bench warrant was issued for the crown witnesses to appear next week.

Wm. Johnston, Stroud, had lights, \$1 and costs, charge laid by Provincial Constable A. O. Ferguson.

Ben Wartsman, Toronto, speeding, 65 m.p.h., \$10 and costs, charge laid by Constable Ferguson.

Bruce French, Toronto, speeding, 75 m.p.h., \$15 and costs, charge laid by Constable Ferguson.

Martin Zieg, Toronto, speeding, \$10 and costs, charge laid by Constable Ferguson.

Roy Warner, Toronto, speeding, 60 m.p.h., \$5 and costs, charge laid by Constable Ferguson.

Samuel Langer, Toronto, speeding, \$5 and costs, charge laid by Constable Ferguson.

W. L. Sheridan, Toronto, speeding, \$5 and costs, charge laid by Constable Ferguson.

Oscar Newman, Toronto, speeding, \$5 and costs, charge laid by Constable Ferguson.

A COUPLE OF VISIONS OF MIRZAH

By REV. R. R. McMAH

Exactly three weeks ago today we left Newmarket on a vacation jaunt. We had two or three places in mind that we wished to visit, but we were not in a hurry, as we had three weeks in which to make the trip. We did not know then that by the time we had returned we should have covered 2,500 miles.

It is great to be a nomad for a time and see the world. The world of people, of customs, of scenes and panoramas, of business—past and present. Our first hundred miles saw us hunting for a restaurant in the village of Brighton on number two highway. Strange the new Canadians who make a success of that type of business missed that little village. It takes its name after the famous watering place in Sussex, England. That was probably because of its long beach to Lake Ontario.

From there we hurried along to Belleville. I say hurried because 60 and 65 was the travelling goal. Many a time we passed through Belleville without stopping to see the sights, so this visit we decided to do the stores and compare prices and styles, and take a run around the back streets.

This city in Hastings county is all its name declares—"beautiful town." By the way, the origin of the name is disputed. Some say it is called after a colonel who was a pioneer in the district, while other sources say that Lieutenant-Governor Gore named it after his wife, Arabella, pet name "Belle."

At Napanee we turned north and reached the village of Perth Road in time for supper. This little village of about a dozen and a half homes is directly 18 miles north of Kingston. It used to be called "Stones' corners." Forty years ago the railway was laid through that district and one morning the village folk woke up to find the little railway station finished and the name "Perth Road" printed in large letters on the roof. The

village was then assumed to be on what would become the leading highway from Kingston to Perth.

This road has not been built. Fifty to 75 years ago this little village was the scene of great activity. A huge lead mine was then in operation and gave employment to a large number of men. A number of combines have attempted through the passing years to reopen but failed in the attempt. At the moment the machinery is all being removed as scrap and the buildings are being sold and removed. Cottages on the lake shore, which were residences of the bosses, are falling into disuse. The huge cables in the air which railed cars miles back into the mines in the woods have all been removed and soon the old spot will resume its farm appearance of a century ago.

The farm has been sold to a local resident but a Toronto friend reserves the right-of-way to the lake. When the mine was in full swing the workers formed Ontario's leading brass band. There was built possibly the first union Sunday-school hall in Ontario. It is used every Sunday by the United church but it is still registered as a union hall and reverts to the heirs of the land donor if it ever ceases to be used for religious purposes.

A few years ago the neighborhood assured the upkeep of the building by purchasing an Ontario Government Bond. When the mine was operating, thousands of tons of crushed white rock were dumped on the lake shore making one of the finest, if not the best, artificial beach in Ontario. Three or four miles from there is the largest mica mine in the world. It, too, is closed for the present.

A 321-mile jaunt the next day took us to Kingsbury in the province of Quebec. Or as the little boy said to his mother on their return from vacation: "Mamma, we are really back in the problems of Quebec." That province surely has its problems. We went by way of the new bridge at Ivy Lea, which was opened a year ago by the president of the U. S. A. and Prime Minister King. The bridge is certainly one of Canada's finest engineering feats. I did not receive any of the dimensions. I remember it cost a dollar and a quarter to cross it. It was well worth it. The scenery from the Canadian end of the bridge is magnificent. You look down on the beautiful Thousand Islands, or as many of them as the human eye can see at a glance. The little boats running out and in among them make the scene quite animated.

Amazed at the workmanship of the bridge and inspired by the magnificent Canadian scenery one turns to be greeted by a gruff, "Where were you born?" "Where are you going?" "How long are you going to stay?" And then a car length ahead another voice enquires, "Have you anything but personal necessities?" An official slip, to be given up on return, permits one to drive on. My objection is the gruff lilt of type of voice that asks the questions. How many people would return to a store if the merchant adopted that type of greeting?

The tour led through Alexandria Bay, Canton, Potsdam and Malone, Canadian money is acceptable in all these towns. Our entry to Quebec was at Rouse's Point. Immediately we encountered a privately owned bridge, an old wooden structure, and we paid 55 cents to cross it. When you think of Quebec think of toll bridges. . . . Of course, if the minister is on duty, he crosses most of them free of charge. But he must be on duty.

The last two hours of the drive were through a number of villages with English names, Bedford, Dunham, Waterloo. We had often heard of Knowlton where boys' and girls' camps and many summer schools are held. Never did we dream of it being so beautiful.

Many lovely summer homes are there and the scenery on lovely Magog is beyond description. We arrived in Kingsbury at the going down of the sun and shall tell you more about it and the rest of our travels next week. Suffice it now to say—"The roots of the present lie deep in the past, and nothing in the past is dead to the man who would learn how the present came to be what it is."—Prof. Stubbs.

G. A. WALSH WEDS EDMONTON GIRL

A quiet wedding ceremony took place last Friday at St. John's Roman Catholic church, Newmarket, when Miss Virginia Anne Pyre, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Pyre, of Edmonton, Alberta, became the bride of Mr. Gerald A. Walsh, son of Mrs. John Walsh and the late Mr. John Walsh of Newmarket. Rev. Dr. W. D. Muehle performed the ceremony.

The bride was lovely, gowned in a dress of triple sheer in corolla blue shade, with navy blue accessories and a corsage of sweetest roses and cornflowers. Miss Kay Walsh, sister of the groom, was bridesmaid. A Wm. Kirk of Toronto was groomsmen. Following the wedding breakfast, the couple left for Niagara.

On their return they will live in Killarney, Ont.

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TORONTO MARKETS

Prices on the Toronto markets on Tuesday for creamery solids, No. 1, were 24 to 24½ cents a pound and creamery prints, No. 1, were quoted to retail trade at 25 to 25½ cents a pound. Selling prices to retail trade for eggs were, grade A large, 29 cents a dozen and A medium, 28 cents a dozen. Prices to the shipper for spring chickens, from 13½ to 14 pounds, were 17 to 18 cents a pound, fatted hens, over 5 pounds, 16 cents, and ducks, over 5 pounds, 18 cents a pound.

Choice weighty steers sold at \$6.75 to \$7. Good butcher steers and heifers brought \$6.75 to \$7.

Choice calves brought from \$9.50 to \$10, while common vealers sold as low as \$5.50.

Off-truck bacon hogs closed at \$10.50 to \$10.65.

LOCAL MARKET

Prices on the local market on Saturday for eggs were from 28 to 28½ cents a dozen. Butter brought 25 cents a pound. Yearlings sold at 20 cents a pound.

Apples brought 20 cents a six-quart basket, elderberries, 10 cents a quart box. Onions, beets and carrots were 5 cents a bunch. Cucumbers sold at 15 to 20 cents a basket and tomatoes 15 cents a six-quart basket.

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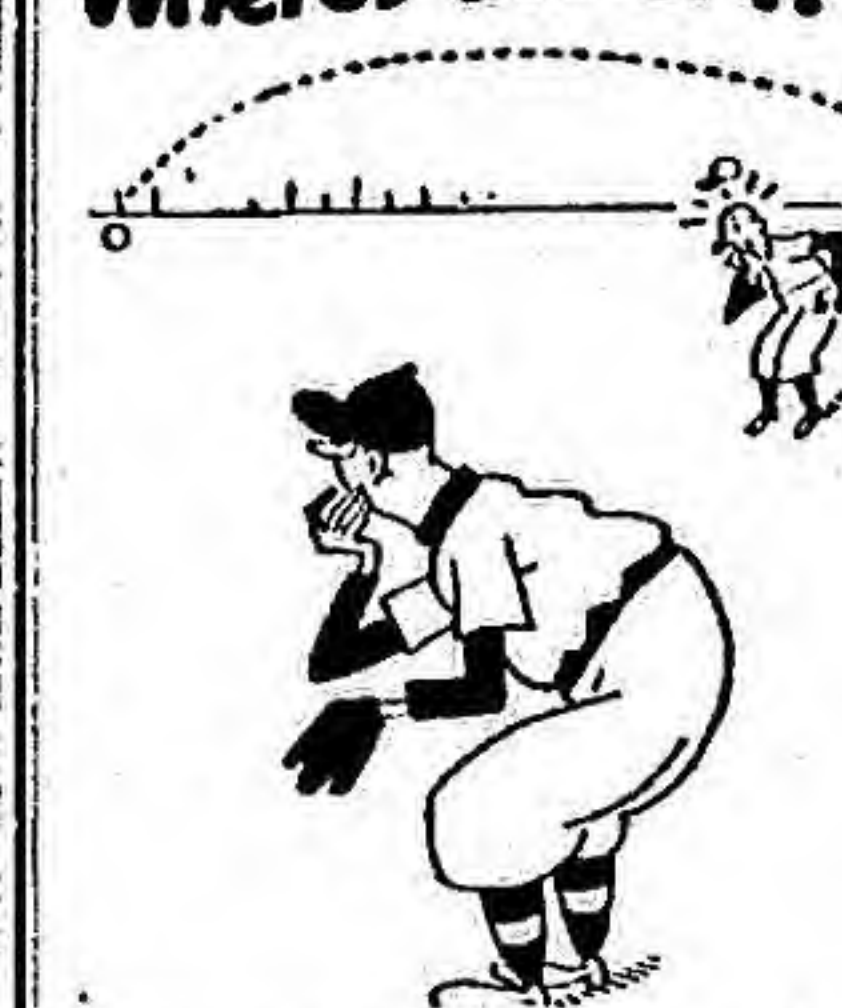
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FOR SALE

For sale - Boy's bicycle. In good condition. Apply Kenneth Howard. Phone 164-w-3. *1w31

FOR SALE

For sale - 1 root pulper, 1 oak roll-top desk, 1 cash drawer, 1 2-roll paper rack. R. J. Thomas, Gorham St. *2w31

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE

For sale or exchange - Single furrow riding plow, No. 21, Fleury, bottom in good condition. Will exchange for pigs or calves. T. C. Wray, R. R. 2, Newmarket, or phone Newmarket, 296-w-12. *3w31

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FOR RENT

For rent - Four roomed apartment. Conveniences. Apply Era box 127. c3w29

WANTED TO RENT

Wanted to rent - From 100 to 150 acre farm with buildings in good condition. Plenty of water. Apply to Leslie Cain, Sharon R. R. 2, Ont. t128

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For sale - Little pigs, six weeks old. John Maurer, Holland Landing-Sharon Road, on Second St., at north-west corner. *2w29

FARM FOR RENT

For rent - Farm, 150 acres, lot 6, rear 2nd concession, King township, O. S. 10, acres fallow, 20 acres fall plowed. Possession April 1st, 1940. Apply T. C. Wray or Wm. Deavitt, R. R. 2, Newmarket. *3w31

HELP WANTED

Help wanted - Experienced girl, over 20 years of age, for general housework. Apply 57 Millard Ave. clw31

HELP WANTED

Help wanted - Respectable Protestant girl, 20 or over. One who would appreciate a good home. All conveniences. Work not hard. Apply Era box 133. clw31

HELP WANTED

Help wanted - Single man for poultry farm. Year-round work. Good wages for efficient service. State age. Non-smoker preferred. Write P. O. box 21, Aurora, Ont. *2w30

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Boards wanted - Roomers or boarders, all conveniences. 22 Strigley St. c3w31

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WILL OPEN CLASSES FOR CHILDREN SEPT. 11

A class from 9 to 12 a.m. for small children will be opened on Sept. 11, by Miss Helen McCaul, Newmarket.

As well as French and the usual kindergarten subjects, the children's artistic abilities are encouraged. Outings for nature observation and other forms of recreation, to promote helpful development, form an important part of the morning's activities. t127

SALE REGISTER

Saturday, Sept. 16 - Auction sale of household effects, etc., the property of Mrs. F. Haddow, Queensville, at her home. Sale starts at 2 p.m. standard time. Terms cash. F. Kavanagh, auctioneer. *2w31

TENDERS WANTED

TOWNSHIP OF WHITCHURCH
Tenders will be received by the undersigned up to 12 o'clock noon, Friday, Sept. 8, 1939.

For the construction of a shed for Motor Grader, 18 feet by 40 feet, at Vandorf.

Plans and specifications may be procured from the undersigned at Vandorf.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

John Crawford, clerk.

Township of Whitchurch. c2w30

NOTICE

NOTICE OF SALE OF AN AUTOMOBILE

(under the provisions of R. S. O., C.173 S.49)

WHEREAS a person purporting to be John Smith is indebted to me in the sum of \$61 for work done and materials supplied in the improvement by way of repairs to a Ford A. Automobile, 1928 model, Roadster, presently bearing Ontario Motor License 27H71, and motor number OA80133, and three months have elapsed since the said sum ought to have been paid and default has been made in payment thereof, notice is hereby given that on Saturday the 16th day of September at the premises of Morton Brothers, Mount Albert, Ontario, at the hour of 2 p.m. Daylight Saving time, the said Ford A. Automobile 1928 model Roadster hereinbefore described will be sold by public auction.

Subject to the right of the seller to bid.

Dated at Mount Albert this 7th day of September, 1939.

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(The registered owner of the said motor vehicle is purported to be one Steve Russell of 195 Queen St. East, in the City of Toronto, to whom notice of sale is hereby given.)

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BIRTHS

Peters - At York county hospital, Sept. 3, to Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Peters, Keswick, a daughter.

DEATHS

Barkey - At her late residence, lot 7, concession 7, Whitchurch township, on Monday, Sept. 4, Carrie Widdifield Sutherland, wife of Joseph Barkey, mother of Walter Sutherland of Toronto, Arthur of Brighton, Mrs. Helen Metcalfe, of Orillia, and Russell Barkey, at home.

The funeral service was held on Wednesday, Sept. 6, at 10 a.m. at the funeral home of J. H. McCaul, 155 Alleen Ave., Toronto, aged 13 days.

Private service was held from Roadhouse and Rose funeral parlors, Monday, Sept. 4, at 10 a.m. at the funeral home of J. H. McCaul, 155 Alleen Ave., Toronto, aged 13 days.

Greenwood - At Pefferlaw, on Tuesday, Sept. 6, Bessie May Catherine, aged 14 years, 3 months, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Greenwood.

Service at the United Church, Pefferlaw, on Thursday, 1.30 p.m.

Linskill - At Queensville, on Thursday, Sept. 7, 1939, James

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Engagements

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Londry, Thornbury, wish to announce the engagement of their second daughter, Alice Marie, to Mr. Arthur Sheridan, son of Mr. and Mrs. Milton Sheridan, Newmarket, the marriage to take place the latter part of September.

The engagement is announced of Miss Mary Audrey Grieves, youngest daughter of Mrs. Grieves, and the late William Grieves, son of Mr. Hazen George Hacking, son of Mr. Mrs. Hacking and the late Robert Hacking. The marriage to take place quietly on Oct. 9.

CARD OF THANKS

Mr. George Phillips and Miss Beryl Phillips wish to express their sincere thanks to their friends for the many acts of kindness, sympathy and floral tributes extended during the recent bereavement in the loss of a wife and mother.

In Memoriam

Clement - In loving memory of a dear husband and father, who entered eternal rest, Sept. 10, 1938. We miss you at a thousand turns. Along life's weary way. For life is not the same to us since you were called away. Your loving smile and cheery face. No one can take your vacant place. Ever remembered by Wife and Family.

Lee - In loving memory of a dear mother, Sarah Ellen Lee, who passed away Thursday, Sept. 5, 1935.

Sweet memories will linger forever. Time cannot change them. It's true. Years that may come cannot sever Our loving remembrance of you.

Lovingly remembered by Cissie, Jack and Nellie.

Lee - In loving memory of a dear mother, Sarah Ellen Lee, who passed away Sept. 5, 1935.

Peaceful be thy rest, dear mother. It is sweet to breathe thy name; In life we loved you dearly, In death we do the same.

Nellie, George and Grandchildren.

Lee - In loving memory of a dear mother, Sarah Ellen Lee, who passed away Sept. 5, 1935.

Loving and kind in all her ways, Upright and just to the end of her days; Sincere and true in her heart and mind. Beautiful memories she left behind. Ethel and Gilbert

Linskill, beloved husband of Alexandra Milne, in his 83rd year.

Funeral service at his residence, lot 17, concession 3, East Gwillimbury on Saturday, Sept. 9, at 2.30 Standard Time. Interment Queensville cemetery.

Phillips - Suddenly, at Aurora, on Friday, Sept. 1, Margaret White, wife of George Phillips, mother of Mrs. Martin (Jean), of Uxbridge, and Beryl, of Aurora.

The funeral service was held at Trinity church on Sunday. Interment Aurora cemetery.

Smalley - At Brooklin, New York, on Wednesday, Sept. 6, Ella Smalley, R. N., daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. James Smalley.

Funeral service in the chapel of Roadhouse and Rose, Newmarket, on Friday, Sept. 8, at 3.30 p.m. D. S. T. Interment Hartman cemetery.

NEW TEACHERS JOIN PICKERING STAFF

Pickering College opens for another year on Thursday, Sept. 14.

With several changes this year, the staff is as follows:

Joseph McCulley, B.A., (Toronto and Oxford), headmaster; R. E. K. Rourke, B.A. (Queen's), A.M. (Harvard), assistant headmaster, mathematics; Taylor Statten, director of character education and vocational guidance; R. H. Perry, B.A. (Toronto), A.M. (Columbia), director of junior studies.

A. B. Hodgetts, B.A. (Toronto), senior house master, economics and history; A. M. Chipman, B.A. (Dalhousie), M.B.A. (Harvard), director of business studies; H. M. Beer, B.A. (Toronto), modern languages; F. D. L. Stewart, B.A. (Toronto), English; R. G. Colgrove, B.A. (Toronto), B. Paed. (Toronto), mathematics; H. L. Ward, B.A. (Toronto), classics.

Gordon Thomas, B.A. (Western), science; C. R. Blackstock, director of physical education; Richmond E. Mather, junior business subjects; B. W. Jackson, B.A. (McMaster), tutorial assistant; Clifford Poole, A.T.C.M., music; J. A. Maitland, director of manual arts; A. Hiltz, creative arts; Rudy Renzias, creative arts; Sanford W. King, B.S.A. (Toronto), farm management, agriculture; R. B. Green, Bursar; Miss S. F. Ancient, matron; Miss Irene McCulley, dietitian; Dr. G. E. Case, local physician; Dr. J. W. Burton, examining physician.

J. W. Holmes, B.A. (Western), M.A. (Toronto), and E. M. Veale are on leave of absence for the current year.

Tutors: Ian MacNeill and Hugh Buchanan.

Headmaster Joseph McCulley states the aims and methods of Pickering College as follows:

"The growing complexity of modern civilization has completely altered the character of life in our cities, and parents are anxiously looking for educational agencies which recognize the problems of the new age and endeavor to meet them and to utilize in their program such of the new attitudes as may be considered of educational value. In particular, adults are wondering

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

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—Misses Evelyn and Rita Moreau spent the weekend in Midland.

—Mrs. J. Lowe of Toronto spent the weekend with her daughter, Mrs. Wm. R. Harden.

—Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Adams, Mr. Clyde Adams, Miss Helen Adams and Miss Helen Blendauer spent the weekend at Port Elgin.

—Miss Connie McClean of Hull, Que., is spending this week with her aunt, Miss Helen Blendauer, and Mrs. E. H. Adams.

—Mrs. Zaida Ryan of Toronto was the weekend guest of Mrs. Aubrey Bailey.

—Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Bailey and family and Mrs. Zaida Ryan spent the weekend in Bracebridge.

—Mrs. Henry Blair and daughter, Thelma, are on a short motor trip to the north country.

—Mr. and Mrs. A. J. King of Toronto spent the weekend with Mrs. King's mother, Mrs. Roy Watson.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Bowman spent the weekend at Maple Beach, Lake Simcoe.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Statton have returned from New York and spent the weekend with Mrs. Statton's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Boyd.

—Miss Eileen Harper of Manchester, Ont., spent last week with her cousin, Mrs. Stewart Beare.

—Mrs. A. Axford of Manchester spent a week with her granddaughter, Mrs. Stewart Beare, recently.

—Mr. and Mrs. Walter Brodie and Miss Jean Allard spent the weekend in Whitchy.

—Mr. Albert Allard of Parry Sound spent Saturday with his sister, Miss Jean Allard.

—Mrs. W. C. Brodie of Toronto visited her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Brodie, last week.

—Mr. Russell Caldwell, Miss Amy Caldwell and Miss Edna Scanlon of Barrie and Mr. E. Caldwell of Preston spent the weekend with Mrs. Thos. A. Caldwell.

—Mr. John Carruthers of Toronto spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Carruthers.

—Miss Ruby Carruthers visited friends in Paris over the weekend.

—Mr. C. Tymon of Collingwood is visiting his daughter, Mrs. R. VanZant, for a few days.

—Mrs. Wm. MacNeill and son, Sherman, of Toronto, were visitors of Mrs. Wm. S. Coyle, during the weekend.

—Mr. Howard Denis and Miss Catharine McCaffrey of Toronto spent the weekend with Miss McCaffrey's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. McCaffrey.

—Miss Margaret Gilmour is spending a few days in Toronto with her sister, Mrs. W. F. Cowie.

—Mr. and Mrs. Ivan C. Collingwood and baby, Brian, have left for their home in Iroquois Falls after a pleasant two weeks visit with Mr. Collingwood's mother, Mrs. Chas. Collingwood, Prospect Ave.

—Miss Gertrude Menar and Mr. D. J. Stephenson attended the Colls-Murray wedding in Toronto on Saturday.

—Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Bovair have returned home after

spending their vacation in Parry Sound.

—Misses Jean Smith and Audrey Geer, and Messrs. James Seldon and Kenneth Johns returned to their homes this week after spending the summer at Hart Lodge, Minden.

—Rev. C. G. Harris, of St. George, and Mr. Charles Harris, of Niagara Falls, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Johns.

—Mrs. Edwin Ball, who has spent the last two months visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Bogart and other friends in this vicinity, has returned to Kingston.

—Rev. Dr. W. D. Muckle, pastor of St. John's church, visited recently his father, Mr. Thomas Muckle, at Stanley, N. Y.

—Mr. Fleming Young, Newmarket, and Mr. Guy Soules, Toronto, were visitors at Lake Simcoe over the holiday.

—Mrs. H. McCarten has returned home from Pembroke after spending the past two weeks with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Deavitt.

—Mr. and Mrs. L. Farr, Miss Elsie McCarten and Mr. Percy Deavitt spent the weekend in Pembroke visiting Mr. and Mrs. Roy Deavitt.

—Miss E. M. Travis of the Guild of All Arts, Scarborough, spent Wednesday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Seth Travis.

—Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hoover and family motored to Callander over the holiday and also called on Mr. and Mrs. Garfield Phillips near Sprucedale.

—Misses Irene Parks and Geraldine Wainman are holidaying in New York this week.

—Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Thompson and daughter, Anne, of London, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Neilly.

—Mr. and Mrs. Ola Morton and family of Inkater, Mich., and Mr. Cyril Morton and family of Old Port, Lincoln Park, Mich., spent Labor Day weekend with their aunts, Mrs. Wilmot Hill, Main St. and Mrs. E. Rose, Millard Ave., also visiting relatives at their father's old home in Queensville.

—Mrs. John Thompson and family have returned home from their two months' vacation in the northern district, Timmins, Kirkland Lake and Englehart, where they had a lovely time.

—Miss Edith Brown and her brother, Mr. Howard Brown, of Detroit, who have been spending the month of August at Bala Park, Muskoka, spent last weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Evans. Miss Brown left by train on Monday to resume her duties as a teacher, while Mr. Brown remained for a few days and went to the exhibition, leaving later by motor.

—Mrs. Donald MacOdrum of Brockville, wife of the late Rev. Donald MacOdrum, D.D., former moderator of the Presbyterian church, and her son, Mr. Gordon MacOdrum, mayor of Brockville, and his bride, and Miss Ruth Condon of New York City were weekend guests of Dr. and Mrs. J. Gordon Cook. Mrs. Donald MacOdrum is an aunt of Dr. Cook and Miss Condon is a cousin.

GAME CALLED OFF WITH SUTTON AHEAD

The second game of the three-out-of-five final series between Sutton and Newmarket, played on the former's home diamond last Thursday evening, had to be called off at the end of the seventh inning on account of darkness.

The game was a see-saw struggle all the way, with first one team and then the other occupying the driver's seat. Sutton opened the scoring in the first inning, pushing across two runs. Newmarket tied it up and went into the lead in the third inning, when Trivett connected for a home-run with two on.

Both teams registered the same number of hits, each collecting 13. The batting seemed to be the strong point of both clubs. The Newmarketers had a few costly errors in the infield, allowing Sutton to score a number of unearned runs. The fielding of the Sutton team left nothing to be desired. Bruce Robertson, Sutton's left fielder, did himself justice by unleashing a powerful drive to deep centre field, which scored two runs and put himself on third base.

Milroy started on the mound for Sutton but was relieved by McNeil in the fifth inning, after allowing a few healthy clouds to the Redmen. Niles, for Newmarket, pitched good ball for the most part of the game but was relieved by Webster in the sixth inning after digging himself into a pretty deep hole.

For Sutton, the team as a whole played very good ball, while Trivett and VanZant stood out for Newmarket. Sutton was leading 13-11 when the game was called.

Sutton: c, Burkholder; p, Milroy and McNeil; 1b, McKelvey; 2b, Dobbe; 3b, Smith; ss, Hamilton; lf, Robertson; cf, Waldon; rf, Tomlinson.

Newmarket: c, VanZant; p, Niles and Webster; 1b, Peters; 2b, Giles; 3b, Trivett; ss, Hilton and Brammar; lf, Cunningham; cf, Cain; rf, Gibney.

Umpires: McLeod Brothers.

RAIN CUTS SHORT CYCLING CONTEST

Motorcycle races at the fair grounds on Monday were interrupted by heavy rain, calling off two events and the final two heats in the five-mile novice and the five-mile expert races. A good crowd attended the early events. The day's races were sponsored by the Newmarket Sportsmen's Association and the Falcon Motorcycle club of Toronto.

Riders were present from Toronto, London, Lockport, N. Y., Sudbury, Tillsonburg, Hamilton, Aylmer, Streetsville, Oshawa and Lansing, totalling 25 in all. For the six events the prize money totalled \$200.

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Town Faces Deficit Auditor Tells Council

NEARLY ALL GENERAL PURPOSE LEVY SPENT IN SIX MONTHS

LEGAL COSTS BLAMED

"If tax collections equal those of last year, there will be a deficit at the end of the year," M. Hilborn, auditor of town accounts, told council on Tuesday night.

Out of \$10,000 levied for "general purposes," well over \$9,000 had been spent in the first six months of the year, the auditor declared.

Describing the water-works department as "a gold mine," the auditor stated this department showed operating profits of \$3,500 and suggested the council "had that to fall back on." He stated, further, that the light department showed a net operating profit of \$1,600.

Nearly \$1,200 spent on the "Whitmore case" was named by the auditor as one reason for the deficit. He stated, too, that some costs, such as street oiling, were completed for the year.

The high school account was a source of annoyance in the way it has been handled, he stated. "We will have to find a better way," Mayor J. M. Walton commented.

Deputy-Reeve L. K. Farr said that he had taken the matter up with a committee of county council but had not heard any more from them.

"Just bad business, that is all," commented Councillor Dr. E. J. Henderson.

The matter referred to was an amount of \$1,250, the county's

MAYOR SUGGESTS MORE TRAFFIC IMPROVEMENTS

More use of the town's free parking space and the posting of a "No U Turn" sign at the corner of Yonge and Wellington Sts., were suggested by Mayor J. M. Walton on Tuesday, as an effort to improve regulation of Aurora traffic.

Share of the expense of making an addition to the high school. The county, it was found, was not ordinarily responsible for more than \$500 in any one year, and unless other arrangements were made the \$500 might be the county's sole contribution.

"If they will not reimburse us, we are out \$800," the mayor stated.

The relief account was another one that had not turned out as planned, it was revealed. Council had allowed \$2,500 for relief this year, and in the first half of the year had already spent \$1,900, it was found.

To add to the grief, the auditor had included a bill of \$100 for special work in connection with the water-works account. It did not represent a complete bill, the auditor admitted. Although he had completed the work he had not sent in the full bill, he said.

"I thought it might be too big," he explained, but stated that he thought the bill reasonable.

"I feel that it should be paid," said Deputy-Reeve L. K. Farr. "It's up to the water-works committee to bring in the bill and approve payment," contended Councillor C. E. Sparks.

ABOUT TOWN

ANTI-BRITISH

Bearing in mind that high among British ideals stands the principle of fair play—of assuming a person is innocent until found guilty—we can describe as definitely "anti-British" all those whose conduct violates this principle.

Among these "anti-British," we think, should be those addled-brained gossip-mongers of all ranks who are now busy recalling that Mr. Soandso once received a postcard from Berlin—that Mr. Thisant has a cousin in Germany—or that Mr. Youno—who was in fact born in Germany and occasionally has written to his relatives.

We would remind these glorious gossips that if British ideals are worth fighting for... they are worth practising.

ITEM:

"The fact of the conclusion of a treaty with Russia embodies the declaration of the next war. Its outcome would be the end of Germany."

And believe it or not, it isn't Chamberlain whom we are quoting. The words written above were words written by Adolf Hitler in his book, "Mein Kampf," published some 15 years ago.

But don't jump to conclusions—those words were written in an argument against treaties with Russia. "We must never forget," says Hitler, "that the regents of present-day Russia are common blood-stained criminals, that here is the scum of humanity, which, favored by conditions in a tragic hour, overran a great state, butchered and rooted out millions of its leading intellects with savage blood-thirstiness, and for nearly ten years has exercised the most frightful regime of tyranny of all time."

We offer the above quotations at the present time in order to prove nothing... merely as one of those curiosities of modern literature which make it rather hopeless for you and me to understand much of the problem in Europe today.

ON KEEPING CALM

Another quotation to which we would direct your attention at this hour is, "Whom the gods would destroy, they first make angry." We don't know who said that, nor when—but it strikes us as being a rather shrewd comment.

The beginning of war, ridiculous as it may seem, need not be the end of reason. What Canadians have to do now, they can do best by keeping and using their heads. Neither war nor peace can be won by waving a flag, pounding a drum, or shouting hurrah.

If it could, then the whole European conflict could be settled from the grandstand seats.

Calmness has characterized the actions of Canada's prime minister in the days leading up to the declaration of war. While there have been critics who sought to make political capital of a national emergency, the prime minister, within his powers, has ordered what steps could be taken without meeting of parliament to be taken immediately.

The fact that he did not make more noise about it will probably count against him in the next election, but the fact that preparations were undertaken without alarms or crashing of cymbals will earn him the respect of thinking folk.

The destruction of the Athenia, outward bound from Britain, will affect to a considerable extent the temper in which parliament will meet to consider the part which Canada shall take in what appears to be the second great war.

There will be more of such incidents in the days to come, many of them calculated to affect the morale of our people. It is our duty to see that the morale is not affected adversely.

Any thought that Canadians do not, in common with other men, need this admonition, is denied by our not-so-splendid rush to the sugar counter last Friday and Saturday. The net result of this unscheduled sweet parade was that a number of folk obtained more sugar than they needed, while a number of others went without. There had been enough for all. But a little thoughtlessness was enough to upset the routine and exhaust the supply.

Let us be careful that our store of common sense is not again so depleted.

INCIDENTALLY

And speaking of sugar, we have been asked to advise that there will be no sale of picnic sugar this year. There never has been a demand for it, we understand, and the merchants

"Don't Sell Hitler Short," Veteran Warns Comrades

AURORA VETS LIST NAMES FOR SERVICE AT MONDAY MEETING

"At the drumhead service in Stouffville on Sunday, Col. W. P. Mulock asked the presidents of local veterans' associations to get lists of men ready for service," Jack Maaten, president of the Aurora veterans, told his comrades at a meeting in the town hall on Monday night.

"Col. Mulock is going to Ottawa and wants to be able to say how many men can be called on for duty," Mr. Maaten stated.

"Your name goes in and if they need you they will send you before a doctor to be examined," Martin Southwood explained. "If you are not fit they will not take you."

"I hope no one will sell Hitler short," Mr. Southwood declared. "We are going to have a lot of trouble. There are many agents of Germany in the United States and I think the government is moving to protect the country from sabotage."

"Hitler is going to be a tough problem," continued Mr. Southwood. "The war is going to take a long time, a lot longer than six months."

"I don't think the government will take a veteran who has a job, unless they need him badly."

"We should be behind the government 100 per cent," stated George Langstaff.

Mr. Maaten suggested that a resolution be passed asking that conscription be enforced. "This country is worth fighting for," he declared.

An ironical note was added to the meeting when the secretary, Clifford Corbett, asked what action should be taken concerning Nov. 11, Armistice Day. It was not known whether it was to be celebrated or not. Mr. Corbett stated, and asked for permission to get in touch with other veterans' associations.

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Another meeting was arranged for the last Saturday in September.

YORK COUNTY VETS PLEDGE SERVICES

York county veterans attending a drumhead service in Stouffville's memorial park on Sunday pledged themselves to "do anything and everything in their power to help Canada and the Empire in the present hour of crisis."

Prior to the service, the veterans paraded through the town and were reviewed by their president, Col. W. P. Mulock, M. P.

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Recalls Sugar Price Rise At End Of Last Great War

STATES THAT PRICE REMAINED STABLE DURING WAR YEARS

The "sugar rush" staged by panicky housewives on Friday and Saturday just about depleted the supplies of Aurora merchants.

One merchant sold two and one-half tons in the two days. By Saturday noon he was selling sugar only in ten-pound bags and by evening he was selling it in five-pound bags.

"But everyone got some sugar," the merchant told The Era.

Other merchants report similar experiences.

The incident recalled the days following the first great war to I. Fingold, Aurora merchant. At that time he was living in Claremont. Although the price of sugar remained fairly stable throughout the war years, immediately following the war there was a shortage.

Mr. Fingold ordered a car-load in the month of November, to be paid for at the market price as on the day of arrival. He waited through November, December, January and February, while the price rose from \$7 to \$16 a hundred pounds.

Finally he transferred the order to another company, who made delivery in eight days from Nova Scotia. The station agent phoned him when the sugar arrived and Mr. Fingold went down to the station about eight in the morning.

He had 50 bags sent to the store, and the people, seeing the sugar, started a rush to the freight car itself. Up until three in the afternoon he and the reeve, who volunteered assistance, were kept busy handing out 100-pound bags of sugar. The car was empty and sold when they had finished.

Mr. Fingold limited his profit to three per cent, but found it was a good stroke of business, as it made him many friends in the district.

"DO OUR PART WITHOUT BITTERNESS," IS SUGGESTION OF ANGLICAN MINISTER

Describing as ludicrous a situation in which a man whom he termed to be "unbalanced" should be able to plunge the world into war, Rev. G. O. Lighthorn on Sunday morning urged the congregation of Trinity Anglican church to "feel that there is some great purpose that will be fulfilled."

"It has been said that war will lead to the destruction of civilization," said Rev. Mr. Lighthorn. "There is a sense in which that is true and there is a sense in which it is not true."

He characterized Britain's part in the war as a possible struggle to develop spiritual truths, "a struggle that will be blessed of God."

"We may thank God that our part is clear," he continued. "Britain's prime minister has said that he could not wish for circumstances or conditions in which the issues were more clear, that it was on Britain's part a just and righteous struggle."

"We should be thankful that we live in a land that has been permitted to have its eyes open," the minister said. "Today I am proud of the name of Britain—not because the British people want war. They hate war. But they have been true to their pledged word."

"It is for us to do our part without bitterness but with firm resolve," he declared. "Pray that God shall show each one of

us his part, that we may go forward without fear, but with confidence."

do not carry it in stock. Picnic sugar, in case you've forgotten, is sugar with the ants already on it.

—J. F. W.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Mrs. Ralph Case of Grimsby has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. F. Barnes, Tyler Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Fleury and son, Bruce, of Toronto, visited Mr. and Mrs. A. R. L. Fleury on Sunday.

Miss Margaret Ough has been visiting her niece, Mrs. Rennie Teasdale, Newmarket.

Mrs. Donald Paxton and children, of Toronto, are spending the week with Mr. and Mrs. John Gowan, Larmont St.

Mr. Vernon Lepard is visiting at the home of Miss V. Richardson.

Mrs. Fred Tod has been visiting friends in Toronto, and took a trip to Niagara Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Holman and daughters, Elinor and Constance, spent Monday with Mr. Holman's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Luke Holman.

Miss Freda Fanest has been visiting her aunt, Mrs. R. Knowles.

Miss Mary Love, Dresden, has been visiting Mrs. C. Hickson.

Mr. and Mrs. William Buffam, Glenora, Mr. and Mrs. John Dean, Penetang, Mr. Lynn McCloskey and family, Powassan, Mr. William Keast, Thornbury, and Mr. Gordon McCloskey and daughter, Providence, R. I., have been visiting Mrs. M. McCloskey, Yonge St.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Teasdale and son, St. Catharines, have been visiting Mrs. George Teasdale, St. Wells St.

Mr. Cecil Adair, who went to Scotland some months ago, returned to town this week.

Mrs. Harry Phillips of Erie, Pa., has been visiting her mother, Mrs. D. Nelson, Yonge St.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Ash and Mr. and Mrs. George Chapman motored through the Niagara district during the long weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Clink, Buffalo, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Graham, Toronto, and Miss Mary Clink of Toronto were guests of Mrs. Edgar Andrews last week.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Mumby of Stoney Lake visited Mr. and Mrs. A. R. L. Fleury on Sunday and Monday.

Miss Doris Case has been visiting her grandmother, Mrs. J. Stephenson, Centre St.

TOWN TO RECOGNIZE JUNIOR BAND'S WORK AT C. N. EXHIBITION

Recognition of the achievement of the Aurora Boys' Band, who placed third in a band competition at the Canadian National Exhibition on Thursday of last week, will be made by council in the near future, it was decided by council on Tuesday.

The decision was made following a suggestion made by Mayor J. M. Walton, who stated that he thought both parents and boys should be complimented.

A committee composed of Mayor J. M. Walton, Councillor C. E. Sparks and Cedric Willis, town clerk, were appointed to look into the matter, which may take the form of a dinner or entertainment.

MRS. G. A. PHILLIPS DIES AT AGE OF 66

For the past 15 years a resident of Aurora, and well-known throughout the district, Mrs. G. A. Phillips died at her home on Yonge St. on Friday. She would have been 67 in December.

Although she had not been in good health for the past few years, she had been better this summer, and death came as a sudden shock to her family.

Before her marriage she had been Margaret White, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert White, of Kleinburg, where she was born.

Surviving, besides her husband, are two daughters: Mrs. Beryl Phillips, Aurora; and Mrs. A. P. Martin (Jane) of Uxbridge; four brothers, Allen, in Moose Jaw; William and James, Kleinburg; and John, in Toronto; and one sister, Annie, in Toronto.

Rev. G. O. Lighthorn and Rev. T. R. White officiated at the funeral service held in Trinity Anglican church on Sunday afternoon. Interment was made in Aurora cemetery.

Palbearers were: Archie Cousins, Clifford Case, Eldwood Davis, Grant McEachern, George Duffield, Clifford Corbett and Elmer Clarke.

AL. LANGMAN PRAISED FOR MAP-MAKING WORK

Al. Langman, who has charge of the town's water works department, came in for praise at council on Tuesday for his work in making a map of the town's water mains.

Era printers spare no pains to make every job attractive.

Walton Asks Council For Ten Men, Batons, Handcuffs, Revolver

ASKS COMMITTEE TO PREPARE FOR "RIOT, UNLAWFUL GATHERING"

SEES SABOTAGE WAR

Suggestions for increased policing of Aurora, together with a number of precautionary measures for civic safety, were proposed by Mayor J. M. Walton at the council meeting on Tuesday night.

Featured in the proposal was the suggestion to enlist ten special constables "to be called in case of fire, riot, unlawful gathering, etc."

"If we had a bad situation arise we might be embarrassed," Mayor Walton told the council. "I believe that this is going to be a war of sabotage and of things that never happened before. More will be interned than ever before."

"I know three men around here that should be put in jail right away," the mayor continued. "But the police will look after them. It is not our business."

"If anything happened and there was trouble, people would be trampled to death," said the mayor, contending that the present force would be unable to control a large number of people, and urging the establishment of ten special constables to be sworn in for emergency use.

"We are unarmed in Aurora," the mayor stated. "Suppose there should be a blackout of Yonge St., by accident or sabotage. We should have some men with authority so they can help out."

"It will cost us nothing unless they are called out," he said. Members of special police should be between 25 and 45 and be of sound judgment, the mayor thought.

"What will you call them, 'Walton's Specials'?" asked Reeve J. A. Knowles.

"If these men get hurt when they are called out, where do we

stand?" asked Councillor John Stuart.

"We have been 60 years a town and never paid damages for a policeman," stated Mayor Walton.

"We have never had a riot," Councillor Stuart objected. "You don't know what you've missed," said Councillor Dr. E. J. Henderson.

"We will have to take a chance on the special constables," declared the mayor.

"And may have to pay out \$5,000," concluded Councillor Stuart.

Mayor Walton suggested that a .38 calibre revolver be obtained for the town foreman, James Goulding, and that 12 police batons be purchased.

There was only one set of handcuffs in the town, the mayor said, and suggested that six sets be purchased. He thought that the ten special constables should be sworn in and provided with distinguishing arm-bands.

Steps will also be taken to improve the town police record books, the mayor said.

A police committee, composed of Mayor J. M. Walton and ex-mayors P. M. Thompson and Dr. C. R. Boulding, was suggested.

The mayor said that the shoe factory and tannery were setting up floodlights around the two factories. He stated that some veterans had asked that the water-works be protected, and that they had been placed under guard for a few nights, but that now the chief constable was keeping an eye in that direction.

SUGGESTS COUNCIL MEET AGAIN MONDAY

Council should meet again on Monday night to consider the report of the auditor in connection with the water works department, Councillor Dr. E. J. Henderson said at council on Tuesday.

Jean Patterson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Patterson. The boy was George Stone, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Stone. Both received bank books with a credit to their accounts, the gift of Dr. Devins.

"Always keep 'Cr.' before the figures in your account," he told them.

VISIT'S EXHIBITION, BECOMES "TELEvised"

One of the feature attractions at the C. N. E. this year has been the hall of television, where a practical display of the world of tomorrow in radio is given.

On Tuesday among those honored by being "televised" was Howard Morton. It is reported that the smiling Morton countenance took to the ether waves with perfect clarity and distinctness.

Mr. Morton says that while there is still much to be achieved in this field, television is fast reaching a peak of perfection and in a few years time will be in general use in the home.

Incidentally, Mr. Morton is the holder of a license from the department of transport for an amateur experimental radio station. His call letters are VESAQL.

Rattle-brained

Three slightly deaf men were motoring from the north to London in an old noisy car, and hearing was difficult. As they were nearing the city, one asked: "Is this Wembley?"

"No," replied the second, "this is Thursday."

"So am I," put in the third. "Let's stop and have one."

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Keith Davis, Robert Young Win Peterboro Net Tourney

MEET EASTERN ONTARIO PLAYERS IN LABOR DAY EVENT

New honors came to the Aurora tennis club on Monday when two of its top-flight players, Keith Davis and Robert Young, won the Peterboro open tournament after a tough grind that saw them facing ranking players from various eastern Ontario centres.

In a mixed doubles club tournament, Audrey Stephens and Keith Davis defeated Constance Willis and Robert Young in an up-and-down battle. The Willis-Young pair took the first set by 8-6, only to have the Stephens-Davis team take the next two sets, 6-3, 6-3.

In the men's doubles, Lees Owsam and Keith Davis came out on top, defeating Robert Young and Herbert Reesor, 6-1, 6-2.

Winners in the series received attractive blankets as prizes.

BOWLERS CONTINUE DESPITE SHOWERS

Showers which scattered themselves over the district resulted in a delayed starting of the mixed doubles bowling tournament in Aurora on Thursday night, as many who had planned to attend thought there had been a general rainfall.

Once underway, however, things moved smoothly and a good evening was enjoyed. Play was close and a number of draws had to be made before the winners were announced.

First place for Fred Carruthers and Miss R. Holden of Stouffville, with a score of 41 plus 3.

William Gordon and Miss B. Evans, Tottenham, chalked up a score of 30 for the second high for three wins. F. J. Lighthorn and Mrs. Boyd took high for two wins with a score of 32.

High for one win was awarded to Mr. Glosson and Mrs. Forfar, of Highland Creek.

Prizes were presented by Vice-President Irwin Watts, and by M. L. Andrews.

THOUGHTFUL

A fashionably dressed woman approached the flower-seller and asked for a whiff of a worth of blooms. After the purchase she inquired:

"Will you be here next Wednesday as I shall want some flowers for my daughter? She's coming out that day."

"She shall have the best on the market, mam," the woman answered. "What's she in for?"

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Bill's Bill

SNOWBALL CORN ROAST, MUSICAL EVENING ENJOYED

On Tuesday evening, Aug. 29, a corn roast was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Williams. A very good time was enjoyed by the community. Mr. and Mrs. Williams' sons and some of their friends who play in the Aurora Boys' band provided music, after the bountiful repast held around the huge bonfire.

The Y.P.S. will hold their weekly meeting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fennell Rothwell on Thursday evening, Sept. 7.

The W. A. and W. M. S. will hold their September meeting at the home of Mrs. Earl Buckle, Yonge St., on Wednesday afternoon, Sept. 13.

Mr. Kerr of Huntsville visited a few days last week at the home of his sister, Mrs. Wm. Farren, Sr.

Mrs. Wm. Farren visited her daughter, Mrs. Cunningham, who is a patient in Weston Sanatorium, on Thursday last.

Rev. and Mrs. W. J. Burton have returned from a trip to Montreal.

The many friends of Albert Farren will be pleased to learn that he is able to be out again after a miraculous escape from serious injury in a gravel pit.

Miss Rhoda Webb and a friend, of Toronto, spent the weekend holiday with Miss Hazel Webb.

Mrs. Wilson and son, John,

have returned to their home in Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Russell of Schomberg spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Mills.

Mr. Bob Case and Mr. Stuart Mills spent Monday in Toronto. Miss Annie Harrison is visiting friends in Toronto.

Eversley

The children are looking forward to school opening. Eversley school has had a lot of renovating done to it. Changes are continually being made, and it is hoped this time everything will be satisfactory.

Miss Betty Ball will enter Normal School this season as a teacher in training.

Miss Ethel Ferguson arrived home from her holiday in Woodville, in time to assist in feeding a small army of threshers. That is always a job to have done, and now there will soon be the corn-cutting and silo filling, a sure sign that summer is waning and autumn is on its way.

Mr. Alvin Crooke of Goderich motored over to visit the cousins of his late wife, Mrs. Duncan McDonald of Aurora, the Bovairs and Miss A. A. Ferguson.

Mrs. Hayward of Toronto is on a visit to her friends at "Scots Wha Hae." On Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Atkinson of Richmond Hill and Mrs. Jennie Ness Jenkins called on their old friends also.

Miss Fisher and Mrs. Carmichael, who motored to Chicago with Rev. and Mrs. Galloway and son, Robert, returned on Tuesday last week. They motored all that distance in the one day, reaching home at midnight.

Mr. Galloway drove all the way and found the driving at night easier than during the day. They had a wonderful time in Chicago, visiting the parks and places of interest, one of which latter was the Moody Bible Institute.

Schomberg

Mr. Bob Hart of Tilsonburg spent the weekend holiday at his home here.

Mrs. George Taylor of Canington visited her sisters, Mrs. D. A. Wauchop and Miss G. Amey, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Grills and family, also Miss Doris Taylor of Canington were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Wauchop.

Dr. and Mrs. M. K. Dillane and Mr. Lister Dillane attended the C. N. E. on Thursday, music day.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Stuckey were at the exhibition on Friday last.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Stonehouse and family and Mrs. M. Brydon spent the weekend holiday with Mr. and Mrs. Percy Skitch at Thurstonia Park, Sturgeon Lake.

Mr. E. Marchant and Mr. Alf Lloyd attended the C. N. E. on Thursday. Others going from here, the same day, were Mr. and Mrs. W. L. McGowan, Rev. and Mrs. F. V. Abbott, Miss G. Amey, Mr. D. A. Wauchop, Misses Mary and Grace Wauchop.

Pine Orchard

The familiar sound of the school-bell is heard once more. Pupils and teachers are off to a fresh start. The teachers are Leslie Reid of Toronto and Miss Olive Bostwick of Vandonr.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Hope, Douglas and Betty, Jacqueline Skinner, Mr. H. Reid, Mr. L. Brilling, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hawtin, Delbert and Billie Dike, Mrs. G. Sproston, Audrey, Grace and Jack, were among those attending the exhibition last week.

Mrs. G. Wood entertained a number of her music pupils and ex-pupils to dinner on Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. S. VanLoven of Newmarket spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. J. Hope.

The refreshing shower was very welcome on Monday, especially by those whose wells and cisterns are dry.

Mrs. M. Wilson enjoyed a few holidays last week with her sister, Mrs. Smith, at Goveley Beach.

The Willing Workers meeting to be held at the home of Mrs. E. Johnston has been postponed from Wednesday of this week until Tuesday, Sept. 12, at 2.30 p.m.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hawtin had tea with Mr. and Mrs. A. VanNostrand, Vandonr, on Monday evening.

Mrs. Wm. Reid and Miss Helen Reid visited Mrs. Norman Pearson at Hampton last Wednesday.

Miss Hazel Reid has returned home after spending part of her holidays at Watn.

Mr. Marshall Brillinger's mother, Mrs. Alan Brillinger, and his sister, Mrs. Alan Myers, and Mr. Myers, and son, Gordon, all of Scarborough, visited Mr. and Mrs. Brillinger last week.

Vandonr

Sunday visitors of Mrs. C. Bowick were Mr. and Mrs. Yorkes of Lockport, Mich., Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Phillips, Harry and Lucy Phillips, of Toronto, Mr. and Mrs. Davis, Muriel and Earl Davis, of Midland.

Mr. and Mrs. Loy Carr and family returned Monday from Zurich where they spent a few days visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Mayor and family of Barrie spent Sunday with Mr. W. D. Richardson.

POTTAGEVILLE Y. P. U. HAS ACTIVE MUSICIAN-MEMBERS

Mrs. E. Houghton and daughter, Doris, returned home last Sunday after holidaying with relatives at Campbellford.

Mrs. S. Proctor spent a week with her sister at Kirkland Lake. The W. A. met at the home of Mrs. Peter Ollikainen on Wednesday afternoon. The meeting was well attended. The ladies were busily engaged quilting and were entertained by the Stone brothers, with their accordions.

Many from here attended the C. N. E. during last week.

The Y. P. U. met last Wednesday evening. In the absence of Miss Helen Jarvis, the Christian mission convener, Miss Elsie Houghton took charge.

Musical selections were played by Mr. Harold Stone on the banjo and Mr. Stone's sons, Jack and George, on their accordions. Harold Funnell on the violin and Boyd Paton and Norman Burt-Gerrans on guitars.

The scripture, taken from Corinthians 1, was read by Miss E. Houghton.

A trio consisting of the Misses Hilda West, Patricia Houghton and Johnny Houghton sang "Jesus Loves Me," accompanied by Mrs. H. Stone at the piano.

Ed. Houghton gave the topic on the "Destruction of Jerusalem." Harold Stone rendered a solo entitled "Machushla," accompanied by Mrs. Stone on the piano. Little Patricia Houghton gave a recitation.

Miss Rida Houghton and Master Ross Charlton rendered a duet. The meeting closed with the benediction.

Mr. Elias Paton spent a few days with his brother, Mr. Elmer Paton, of Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Emmett and son, Donald, and Mr. Charles Brazier, all of Toronto, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Funnell and family.

On Saturday evening about 30 gathered at the home of Miss Betty Burt-Gerrans for a social evening. Many games were played, also dancing, with Howard Paton at the piano.

Everyone enjoyed themselves. Refreshments were served to bring a pleasant evening to a close.

Mr. and Mrs. George Burt-Gerrans, Misses Rosalynn Fry and Lena Todd and Mr. Harold Burt-Gerrans, all of Toronto, spent the weekend at "Five Acres," the summer home of Dr. and Mrs. Burt-Gerrans.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Stone returned to Toronto last Saturday evening after spending the summer at their summer residence.

Mr. and Mrs. Fishwick, of Pontiac, Mich., Mr. and Mrs. Connor, of Windsor, Mr. and Mrs. Walton and Mr. and Mrs. Bergen of Toronto, were Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. Williams.

Glenville

Mr. and Mrs. J. Jones spent the weekend at Owen Sound with the former's parents.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Jefferson, Miss Jessie Jordan, Miss Marion Jefferson and Mr. Bruce Jefferson visited Mr. and Mrs. J. Faris, Yonge St., on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Hancock and Mr. Geo. Hancock, of Kettleby, spent Sunday evening with Mrs. Jos. Webster.

Mrs. R. Loughhead and Mrs. F. Bowley, of Thornbury, spent Monday with the former's daughter, Mrs. Aubrey Doan.

Mr. and Mrs. H. West and Mr. Alfred Groves, of Bogartown, spent Sunday at Mr. C. Wray's.

Mr. Geo. Wray attended the C. N. E. on Wednesday. School re-opened on Tuesday

Czech Tells Of Loss Of His Business In Sudetenland Crisis

(Continued from Page 1)

kindness to help me to get to Canada. Permit me to appeal to you for assistance of erecting a new existence. In consequence of the annexation of the Sudeten by the Germans, I had to leave my home, factory with my family.

As the enclosures show, I am expert in the wood-industry with a thorough knowledge of forestry, saw-industry, wood-building as well as knowledge as a cabinet-maker and carpenter. I am able to work all the machines used in the wood-industry, experienced as a forester and familiar with all wood-work, culture of the wood as well as with the saw-industry, both hard and whitewood. I could be a worker or foreman or as carpenter or cabinet-maker. On the other side I have also experiences in erecting wood-industries and saw-mills and building of wood houses and I am capable of organizing and managing such work.

I am partner of the firm "Max Berl and sons, Freudenthal, now Sudeten" and had to leave the enterprise after eight years of work at it owing to the occupation in October, 1938. Since Oct. 10, 1938, I have been living in Olomouc, now Protektorat, without occupation but I shall have to leave this country also shortly. I have the permission of the National Bank to take with me £200 in case I get a permit and I hope to get also some support from my relations abroad.

morning, with Miss A. Owens in charge. The pupils and teacher will appreciate the new school-room, which was remodelled this summer.

Hope

Services at this appointment will be at the usual time on Sunday, church service at 9.45 a.m. and Sunday-school at 10.45 a.m. Rev. Hugh Shannon is back from his holidays and will be the speaker.

The date of Sept. 21 has been reserved for the special anniversary services here.

The W. A. is holding a special meeting on Wednesday of this week at the home of Mrs. S. Stickwood to make plans for the anniversary supper on Sept. 25.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Boyd and Louise, Mrs. Esther Boyd and Mrs. Taylor, of Orillia, are spending the holiday weekend with Mr. and Mrs. S. Boyd.

Among the Sunday guests at the Tansley home were Mrs. Mathieson, Miss Steele, Mr. and Mrs. John Scott, Shirley and Ronald, and Miss Randall, all of Toronto, and Mr. Ross Stickwood.

Among those attending the exhibition on Saturday were the Barker family, Mr. and Mrs. J. Davis, Master Vern Pegg, Mr. Stanley Boyd and Mr. and Mrs. S. Boyd of Orillia.

Mr. Joshua Stickwood and Miss Lydia Stickwood of Bogartown were visiting Mr. and Mrs. S. Stickwood on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Winfred Micks, Miss Violet and Mr. Elwin Micks, of Queensville, visited Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Micks on Sunday.

Mr. Jack Pegg and Master Donald Pegg had tea with Mr. and

Catholic, non Arier, three daughters, 7, 5 and 2 years. Accustomed to practical and manual work with wood-machines. Approved in leading positions.

In consequence of the annexation of Sudeten by the Germans, I had to leave my home, factory and family, now I wish to begin once more in a new country but in the same profession.

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REUNION COMES OUT ON TOP FINANCIALLY

The following statement of receipts and expenditures is given by H. E. Lambert as treasurer of the old boys' reunion committee. The statement shows a balance on hand of \$217. The statement is audited and found correct by George Vale, town auditor.

"Mr. Lambert had a very big job on his hands, and the gratitude of everybody is due to him for all the work he did and the splendid way in which he kept all the necessary records and carried out all his duties," said Mr. Vale.

Receipts

Grandstand admissions	\$ 67.05
General admissions	1,111.25
Program Adv.	192.50
Grants from town	200.00
Adv. souvenir book	679.69
Season tickets sold	91.50
Sale of concessions	505.00
Collection from Ministerial Assoc.	45.24
Proceeds refreshment booth	43.09
Proceeds of dance	147.09
Proceeds money wheel	108.65
Registrations	101.20
Donations	30.00
	\$3,342.27

Expenditures

Souvenir book	\$ 600.15
Program book	232.20
Stationery and supplies	115.78
Postage	57.44
Sundries as per list	330.72
Advertising	289.72
Miscellaneous	49.23
Bicycle races	150.00
Stenographers	29.00
Dance floor etc. as per list	738.46
Decorations	152.13
Floor show	350.00
Balance	217.42
	\$3,342.27

Particulars of Dance Floor Costs	
Cost of floor	\$516.85
Orchestra, 2 nights	70.00
Wages laying, levelling, oiling etc.	67.60
Piano rent	10.00
Oil, brooms, etc.	36.03
Sanding	32.00
Cartage	6.00
	\$738.46

Particulars of Sundry Account

Telegrams	\$ 1.98
Customs	6.73
Telephone	.80
Refreshment booth	12.67
Wages	21.50
Rent of parking field	10.00
Meals for ball teams	20.15
Cartage	3.50
Badges	61.80
Fireworks	123.00
Rent of loudspeaker	23.00
Baseball equip. lost	5.00
Prizes field day	11.50
Music for choir	18.34
Line	1.00
Exchange	2.83
	\$380.72

ELMHURST BEACH W. I. HEARS ABOUT WELFARE

The Elmhurst Beach Women's Institute will hold a meeting at the home of Mrs. Chas. Hodgins on

Wednesday, Sept. 13, at 2 p.m. Roll call—a prominent Canadian woman. Program—Miss Harris will be guest speaker. Topic—community welfare and relief.

A paper on Canadianization will be given by Mrs. Wm. King. A demonstration on flower arrangement will be given by Mrs. C. Cameron.

Refreshment committee consists of Mrs. Selby Sedore, Mrs. Jas. Clark and Mrs. F. Lockerbie.

W.M.S. PLANS OPENING MEETING ON SEPT. 1

The opening meeting of the autumn season of the W. M. S. of Keswick United church will be held on Thursday afternoon, Sept. 14, in the church Sunday-school room. All members are asked to be present please.

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Zephyr

Zephyr, Sept. 2.—Mr. and Mrs. H. Pickering spent Sunday and Mon-
day in Maple with friends.
Miss Mary Osborne of Newmar-
ket returned home on Saturday
after spending a few days with her
friend, Miss Helen Loney.
Mr. and Mrs. Cephas Andrews
and Shirley and Mr. and Mrs.
William Dunn and Patsy, of New-
market, Mr. and Mrs. Marshall
Pickering and Darrel, and Miss
Dorothy Baldwin and friend, of
Toronto, spent Sunday with Mr.
and Mrs. Clarence Pickering and
family.

Zephyr, Sept. 5.—Mrs. R. Harman
returned home on Sunday after
spending a week with her sisters
in Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. Palmer and Joan
spent the holiday with Mr. and
Mrs. J. W. Ryndard.
Mrs. E. Profit returned home on
Friday evening after spending sev-
eral weeks at her old home in
Napane.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Myers and son,
of Cannington, spent Sunday with
Mr. Myers' brother, Mr. J. Myers.
Mrs. J. W. Ryndard returned
home from Toronto on Friday last,
where she spent a few days with
her daughter.

Miss H. Hornby of Toronto has
returned to her school duties here.
A number of people from Zephyr
are attending the C. N. E. this
week in Toronto.

Miss Jessie Lockie has returned
to her home here after spending
six weeks at the Toronto Y.W.C.A.,
relieving those who were having
their holidays.

Rev. and Mrs. Ferguson and
daughter are welcomed to the vil-
lage and it is hoped that they will
find a warm welcome among all
the people of Zephyr and the sur-
rounding community.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Clark and
Eva moved to Newmarket this
week, after spending the summer
in the Coultice store.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Galbraith have
purchased a lot from Mrs. J. H.
Lockie and are building a bunga-
low.

The W. M. S. of the United
church was held at the home of
Mrs. F. Thompson on Wednesday
of this week, Sept. 6.

Vivian

Rain has been threatening all
week, but so far has held off. The
farmers in the vicinity would wel-
come a few showers as an aid in
planting.

The Canadian National Exhibi-
tion is attracting a large number
of the members of this community.
A committee of ten men has
been formed to supervise the com-
pletion of the McCormack Memori-
al church.

Last Sunday Mr. Troyer took
charge of the Sunday-school and
Norman Rowan conducted the
evening service.

Recent visitors from Cleveland,
Ohio, to the McPherson home, in-
cluded Mr. McPherson's sister,
Mrs. Withycombe, and her family.
Mrs. Herbert Phoenix has enter-
tained her sister and family, Tor-
onto, for a week.

Pleasantville

Mr. Ronald Hawtin and Master
Stuart Starr spent last Friday at
the C. N. Exhibition, Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Moore of Tor-
onto spent Saturday night at the
home of Mrs. G. McClure.

Mrs. A. Tucker spent Sunday
with friends at Bradford.

The Willing Workers meeting,
which was to be held this Wed-
nesday, will be held on Tuesday,
Sept. 12, at the home of Mrs.
Edson Johnston.

Scripture will be taken by Mrs.
Reid. Prayer, by Mrs. Johnston.
Topic, "Learning to co-operate,"
by Mrs. Armitage. Roll-call.
Bible verse about harvest.
Music, Mrs. Colville and Gladys
Harper.

Mrs. Chas. Toole visited her
daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and
Mrs. Allan Forbes, in east Toron-
to on Wednesday.

Maple Hill

Those who were privileged to
attend the Young People's meet-
ing at Vivian last Wednesday re-
port a good meeting and fine
time of fellowship with the
Vivian people.

The Young People's meeting
was withdrawn this week owing
to the holiday and several being
away.

Prayer meeting is on Wednes-
day evening as usual, at 8 o'clock.
The next Dorcas meeting will
be held on Sept. 14 at the home
of Mrs. Bert Scott, at 2 o'clock.
S. T. All ladies are cordially in-
vited.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Knights
and family visited at the home
of Mr. David Love on Sunday.

Mrs. Harry Knights and Mary
Carol spent a few days this
week in Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Knights
visited the Whites at Orillia over
the weekend.

Cedar Valley

Mr. and Mrs. Charles West,
Eric and Glenn, of Newmarket,
spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs.
Jesse Lundy.

Mr. and Mrs. Baldwin, George
and Kathleen, of Claremont,
visited Mr. and Mrs. Earl Leh-
man.

Wm. Hopkinson of Newmarket
was painting the scenery around
Cedar Valley pond this week.

Mr. Bert Jones is expected
home this week after illness in
Christie St. hospital, Toronto.
The farmers are preparing for
also filling.

A TRIP TO TORONTO EXHIBITION

BY GOLDEN GLOW

I took a trip to Toronto exhibi-
tion last week and what I saw
and enjoyed, no doubt, wouldn't
be of very much interest to
many, but I promised to make
this the subject of my article this
week. So, if you are not very
fond of flowers and animals, just
"skip it!"

The first thing I enjoyed about
it was my trip down on the
C.N.R. I had a congenial travell-
ing companion, who was inter-
ested in my enthusiasm—in fact
we were both quite amused over
it. You see, while I have gone
north on the train many, many
times, it is years since I have gone
from here to Toronto by train—
and to say I was keenly interest-
ed is putting it mildly! You see,
we never used to dream of going
by train to Toronto in my
younger days, for the metropol-
itan street cars were so conven-
ient, and with one change at
north Toronto we could travel
the length of Yonge St. And as
they commenced at 6 a.m. and
ran every hour, north and south,
till midnight, we had plenty of
choice as to what time we de-
cided on for our trip.

When we are young we natu-
rally take everything for granted,
and so I suppose I never gave a
thought to the fact that the
C. N. R. (G.T.R. in those days)
ran through people's backyards
and through the farmers' fields
and came into Toronto through a
particularly shabby district. But
it all came back to me with
rather a shock after travelling
our splendid highways now for
so many years. The motor car
has certainly revolutionized trav-
el, and for scenery and for
comfort, I do not think anything
can compare with it.

It was queer to try and think
what road a certain C.N.R.
crossing would be. But starting
from our own station here it was
odd to look at our town and sort
of re-construct it. The Christian
church standing so sedately on
top of the hill on Main St., a
glimpse of the town clock, then
the backs of the stores, and the
skating arena with Office
Specialty on the opposite side.
The last time I went down by
train there was no Office
Specialty building north of Tim-
othy, but one lovely green
pasture field, with willows fring-
ing the bank of the stream, (the
river, should I say, for it later
became the Holland River), and
the mill-race which used to run
the water-wheel.

Then the water-works across
the pond, as the wig-wag pro-
claimed very definitely with its
alarm bell that a train was on
the crossing at Water St., the
dam with its lovely border of
flowering petunias, the war
cannons and the background of
evergreens and shrubs beyond
on the far side by the Haines
memorial.

Then the train gathered speed,
but I saw the pond dwindle down
to a mere stream and the Devil's
Elbow where it nears the track—
then Cedar Heights where I hear
the hoboes, or should I say the
transients, gather, and have cre-
ated a "jungle." They come to
your door and beg a little tea,
a few vegetables, or some eggs or
maybe bread or butter, cake or
pie, then they pool their re-
sources and have a family party
up in the jungle at Cedar
Heights. Dear old Cedar Heights
—to what depths have you
fallen!

Then at Peter Pearson's cross-
ing, the first side-road south of
the town, I saw "Flowers for
Sale" on a sign I was watching
for, and there was Miss Louie
Newton's lovely flower garden.
On her invitation, the evening of
the flower show, I was privileged
to visit her garden the Sunday
afternoon following, so be sure
I watched for it as we passed.

But if I keep on at this rate,
we'll never get to the exhibition
and I do want to tell of seeing
that marvellous flower show and
all the wonderful flower beds
and borders in exhibition park—
but above all, I promised to write
about a visit to Snow White and
her animals. I am sure all who
visited that corner of the grounds
got their money's worth!

It was enclosed in a sort of
compound made of bamboo or
reeds or something of the sort
and as you stepped inside it was
as if you walked into a cedar
grove, for the walls inside were
lined with cedar. All around
were wire cages with animals
and birds, reptiles and insects
and monkeys (I don't mean
monkeys aren't animals—but
well—you know they seem to be
in a class all by themselves). I
do dislike monkeys—next to
snakes, I think. As I wandered
round the enclosure, to my right
I saw two Boy Scouts with what
appeared to be a snake skin, one
holding the tail and one the head
and the one at the head was
blowing into it with his lips. I
stopped and smiled and they
smiled and seemed so friendly
that I said, "My, that is a
wonderful imitation of a snake-
skin—you'd swear it was real!"
They laughed and said, "It is
real, the snake just shed it about
five minutes ago." Standing just
behind me was a woman and
some young people, with a snake,
handling it and petting it! I
asked the boys if that was the
snake, but it wasn't. However,
the woman, seeing me looking at
them, asked me if I didn't want
to hold it—me, hold a snake!
Can you imagine it? I backed
up in a hurry, as she came
towards me, offering me the

snake, declining as courteously
as I could under the circum-
stances. She kept saying "It
won't hurt you"—and one of the
youngsters said "It feels so nice!"
I beat a hasty retreat, still try-
ing to retain a little dignity, so
I heard no more of the snake-
skin and I am disappointed, for
I would have liked to hear more
of it.

Presently I found myself look-
ing at some Fox Head Bats.
Queer creatures! They were
hanging by their heels, and their
heads certainly did look foxy.
As I looked, the one, and then
the other, drew its head up in-
side a queer-looking sack, to the
disappointment of the others
who came up just then.

There was a tame fawn that
followed me all round, because
I stopped to pet it. We were
delighted to see the raccoons
washing their food before they
ate it. One upset its dish of
water to the disgust of a monkey
in a cage below, but the con-
comitant dish of water and pro-
ceeded to "dunk its doughnuts"
as before. You should have seen
the ante-eater! It surely is a
queer little animal—not so small
either, larger than a pair of
skunks next door. It has the
queerest nose—I can't compare
it to anything except a cork-
screw. It wiggled it in the
ground, looking for ants, no
doubt. The turtles, wee fellows,
and tiny frogs and butterflies!
Oh dear, I also saw Mr. May's
collection of butterflies and in-
sects, 30,000 of them, in another
building—it took Mr. May 30
years to collect and mount them,
and he valued the collection at
\$100,000. Some he had to shoot
with a "dustgun" for some never
light, but fly round in the upper
air all their short lives. So the
butterflies, etc., I saw here
didn't take my attention long
after that marvellous collection!

But Snow White—you'll think
I am never going to get to her—
but presently, after I'd seen all
the lovely birds and the ostrich
family, I found myself facing
Snow White's cottage and the
front garden enclosed by a fence.
It was just as near Snow White's
cottage in the movie picture as
possible and on the latticed
window-sill there stood a black
crow, while little animals and
birds, including a pair of huge
pelicans as tame as could be,
wandered round. There was a
stump with some doves walking
in and out of the hole at the
side, squirrels and rabbits—oh,
all sorts of things, with a
prairie dog sitting up either to
beg for food or to reconnoitre.
Another fawn wandered round
and the Mother Bunny was
curled up asleep beside the
fence.

Then Snow White herself
appeared! And she was as
sweet as Snow White herself
must have been. She was dressed
so quaintly and the animals
weren't at all afraid of her. She
would pick up the baby bunnies
for the children to pet, handing
them over the low parapet which
enclosed her domain.

She had smiles for every-
body, but didn't talk much—and
she certainly contrived to make
the show one of the most
attractive exhibits on the
grounds for the children—yes,
and for us grown-ups as well.

Sharon

Mrs. Buchanan of Galt visited
her sister, Mrs. Bertha Phillips,
last week.

Miss Ruth Wilson spent a few
days in Sharon last week, leav-
ing on Monday for Barrie, where
she goes in training as a nurse.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Hillaby enter-
tained friends from near Port
Huron, Mich., last week.

Mrs. E. W. Somerville of Tor-
onto is spending some time with
Mrs. R. Shaw.

Mr. and Mrs. Quakenbush and
Diane spent the weekend with
Mrs. F. McKrill and Shirley.

The regular monthly meeting
of the W. A. of the United church
will be held at the home of Mrs.
Elmer Fry on Thursday next,
Sept. 14, at 2:30 p.m. A ten-cent
tea will be served. Will all the
ladies please remember the date
of the meeting.

Dr. and Mrs. Fletcher, Mr.
and Mrs. Frank Tate and Miss
Joyce spent a couple of days last
week at Highgate with Rev. and
Mrs. Cline.

Service at the United church
on Sunday next is at the usual
time, 7:30 p.m. Sunday-school is
at 10 a.m. Everyone is welcome
at both services.

Mrs. Levi Weddel spent last
Thursday with her mother, Mrs.
M. A. Ramsay.

TO HOLD ANNUAL WEINER ROAST MONDAY NIGHT

The Sharon Junior Farmers
and Institutors are holding their
annual weiner roast at the home
of Miss Viola Rutledge, Huron
St., Newmarket, on Monday,
Sept. 11.

Belhaven

Next Tuesday, Sept. 12, the
Women's Institute are to hold
their grandmothers' meeting in
the community hall, commencing
at 2:30 p.m.

Roll call will be answered by a
verse of poetry. The convenors
are Mrs. T. Horner, Mrs. R. Davi-
son, Mrs. I. Mann and Mrs. F. A.
Lockie. A paper on Canadianisa-

BETHEL

Bethel, Aug. 30.—It sounded
good to hear the old-fashioned
steam whistle at Allan Stiles' on
Monday morning.

The school bells will soon be
ringing, and the school books are
being dug out of their hiding
places and prepared for Tuesday
morning.

Mr. Linstead preached a fine
sermon on Sunday. It is hoped
that there will be more attend-
ing when the summer rush is
over.

Rev. T. V. Hart of Camilla will
be the speaker at Bethel on Sept.
24. Friends all welcome Terry
back. He was a great leader
amongst the young people.

Mrs. John Hogg of Thornbury
is visiting Mrs. G. M. Fairbairn.
Miss Blanche Arksey under-
went a slight operation last
Monday at an Orillia hospital.

Her sister, Miss Ruth Arksey,
R. N., accompanied her.

Mr. Alvin Harmon and Mr.
Milton Fairbairn were visiting
the former's parents at Uxbridge
over the weekend.

Mrs. Connie Loneragan of Sut-
ton has been convalescing at the
home of her parents, Mr. and
Mrs. Joe Foster.

Bethel young people are being
entertained at the home of Miss
Muriel Richardson of Elm Grove
on Monday night. The girls are
asked to bring lunch.

The Era office is open on Sat-
urday afternoons from 2 to 5 and
on Saturday evenings from 8 to
10. D. S. T.

Double Feature

The lady walked into the theatre
just as a comedy picture was being
flashed on the screen. She was
wearing one of those daffy hats
that seem to be all the rage these
days.

The woman parked herself in a
seat, right in front of a middle-
aged man. She soon began to howl
at the comedy. She seemed to be
enjoying herself immensely, as
was the rest of the theatre.

Suddenly she remembered some-
thing. She turned around to face
the man who was sitting behind
her.

"I'm sorry," she apologized.
"But if my hat is preventing you
from seeing this comedy picture,
I'll be happy to take it off."

The man waved a hand.
"Please don't," he begged. "The
hat's much funnier."

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doring—made you want to
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you heard "Dear Mary"—
her own familiar voice.

"And here's Johnny!"
Watch a child's face when
he hears Daddy's voice.
You wish Daddy himself
could see it—then he'd
really know how much it
means to his family, when
he calls from a distant town.

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MOUNT ALBERT WILL SHOW HOW TO ARRANGE FLOWERS

Mr. and Mrs. Wilson of Toronto spent Sunday with their son, Rev. R. V. Wilson.

Mr. Gordon Wagg of Picton was at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Wagg, over the holiday. Mrs. Wagg and the children, who have been here, returned home with him on Monday.

Mrs. Mary Scott and son, Bob, and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gore, of Toronto, were holiday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Davidson.

The September meeting of the senior Women's Institute will be held on Thursday, Sept. 14, at the home of Mrs. E. Quibell. There will be a demonstration on arranging flowers and a paper on education. The roll call will be "garden hints." The hostesses are Mrs. N. Brooks and Mrs. H. Harman.

Mr. and Mrs. Walton Coleman of Detroit, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Steward, Miss Steward, and Mrs. Keith, of Windsor, were recent visitors at the home of Mrs. Coleman's sister, Mrs. Jas. Thompson.

Mr. Walter Hayward of Arthur was calling on friends around town this week and visiting his brother, Mr. Tobias Hayward. It is some years since Mr. Hayward moved from these parts.

A group of members of the Women's Institute took a quilt to the exhibition to compete in the quilting bee held on Tuesday of last week. They did not bring back a prize but had a nice time and it was time well spent.

Miss Effie Hayes had the misfortune to fall on the street one night last week and injured her knee. She was in bed for several days.

Mr. Chas. Blyth has been exhibiting chickens at the exhibition.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Goodwin of Toronto spent the weekend at

the home of Mrs. Goodwin's brother, Mr. Guy Williamson.

Mr. and Mrs. John Meek of Toronto spent the holiday with Mrs. Meek's mother, Mrs. H. Rollins.

Mr. and Mrs. Gregg Scott have moved into Fred Pegg's cottage on the back street.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Moorehead and Mr. and Mrs. B. Sinclair had a lovely motor trip last week going as far north as North Bay and visiting the quints at Callander, and returning through Muskoka and over to Thornbury, where they visited Dr. and Mrs. Duncan. They went on down through the Beaver Valley and visited Rev. and Mrs. Hutcheson at Shelbourne and then home.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Betts of Fisherton were guests of Miss Vera Pearson over Sunday.

Miss Marjorie Moore has returned to Winnipeg after a short visit with her mother, Mrs. J. Moore.

MOUNT ALBERT MRS. P. WALKER WINS MOST SHOW POINTS

The following were prize-winners at the annual flower show of the Horticultural Society held in the town hall last Thursday:

Display of annuals: 1, Mrs. P. Walker; 2, M. Gibney. Display of perennials: 1, Mrs. Walker; 2, M. Gibney. Exhibitor winning highest points in flower section: 1, Mrs. P. Walker; 2, M. Gibney.

Collection of dahlias: 1, Mrs. Hall; 2, Mrs. Davis. Collection of roses: 1, Miss Leek.

Collection of gladioli: 1, W. N. Gibney; 2, M. Gibney. Collection of zinnia: 1, Mrs. P. Walker; 2, W. N. Gibney.

Collection of asters: 1, W. N. Gibney; 2, Mrs. Hall. Collection of tuberous begonias: 1, Miss Harmon; 2, Mrs. Walker.

Collection of marigolds: 1, Mrs. Walker; 2, Mrs. Stiver. Display of double petunias: 1, Mrs. Steeper; 2, Mrs. Davis.

Display of poppies: 1, Mrs. E. Watts; best rose: 1, Mrs. Davis; 2, Mrs. Stokes.

Display of single petunias: 1, Mrs. Walker; 2, Mrs. Steeper. Dining-room table centre of one kind of flowers: 1, Mrs. Steeper; 2, Mrs. Walker.

Dining-room table centre, mixed flowers: 1, Miss Harmon; 2, Mrs. Stokes. Living-room bouquet: 1, Miss Harmon; 2, Mrs. Hall.

Living-room table bouquet: 1, Miss Harmon; 2, Mrs. Stokes. A bouquet of flowers: 1, Miss Riechbrough; 2, Miss Harmon.

Bouquet of blue and yellow flowers: 1, Mrs. Stiver; 2, Mrs. Davis. Novelty plant: 1, Miss Hayes; 2, Mrs. Davis.

Novelty flower or flowers: 1, Miss Hayes; 2, Mrs. Stiver. Collection of vegetables: 1, Mrs. Hall; 2, Mrs. Burnham.

Best flower in the show: Mrs. Storch (gloxinia). Collection of foliage: 1, Mrs. Davis; 2, Mrs. Hall. A contest naming flowers was won by Miss Harmon. Prize donated by a Richmond Hill florist.

Asters, curled petals: 1, Mrs. P. Walker; 2, Mrs. Hall. Asters, single: 1, Mrs. Stiver; 2, M. Gibney.

Asters, straight petals: 1, W. N. Gibney; 2, Mrs. Carruthers. Asters, Sunshine: 1, W. N. Gibney.

Asters, Heart of France: 1, W. N. Gibney; 2, Mrs. Hall. Ageratum: 1, Miss Riechbrough.

Balsams: 1, Mrs. Walker. Calliopsis: 1, Mrs. E. Watts; 2, Miss Riechbrough.

Cosmos, single: 1, M. Gibney; 2, W. N. Gibney. Cosmos, double: 1, W. N. Gibney.

Celosia: 1, W. N. Gibney; 2, Mrs. Burnham. Cockcomb: 1, Mrs. Burnham; 2, Mrs. Walker.

Cornflowers: 1, Mrs. Brown; 2, Miss Riechbrough. Delphinium: 1, Mrs. Stiver.

Dahlia, cactus: 1, M. Gibney; 2, Mrs. Walker. Dahlia, single: 1, Mrs. Hall.

Dahlia, decorative: 1, Mrs. Davis; 2, M. Gibney. Galliardia, annual: 1, W. N. Gibney; 2, Mrs. Walker.

Galliardia, perennial: 1, Mrs. Stiver; 2, Miss Riechbrough. Geranium, cut flowers: 1, Mrs. Davis; 2, Miss Leek.

Gladioli, Picardy: 1, M. Gibney; 2, W. N. Gibney. Gladioli, 3 spikes: 1, W. N. Gibney; 2, Mrs. Walker.

Gladioli, 1 spike: 1, Mrs. E. Watts; 2, W. N. Gibney. Primulins: 1, W. N. Gibney; 2, Mrs. Hall.

Hollyhocks: 1, Mrs. Burnham; 2, Miss Riechbrough. Annual larkspur: 1, Mrs. Walker; 2, Mrs. E. Watts.

Lily, 1 spike: 1, Miss Leek. Marigolds, French: 1, Mrs. E. Watts; 2, Mrs. Walker. Marigolds, African: 1, M. Gibney; 2, Mrs. Walker.

Calendulas: 1, Mrs. Stiver; 2, Mrs. Walker.

Nasturtium, single: 1, Mrs. Hall. Nasturtium, double: 1, Mrs. Walker; 2, W. N. Gibney.

Nicotina: 1, Mrs. Walker; 2, Miss Harmon. Petunia, single: 1, Mrs. Ed. Watts; 2, Mrs. Davis.

Petunia, double: 1, W. N. Gibney; 2, Mrs. R. Davis. Phlox, annual: 1, W. N. Gibney; 2, Miss Riechbrough.

Phlox, perennial: 1, Mrs. Walker; 2, M. Gibney. Pinks: 1, W. N. Gibney.

Salpiglossis: 1, W. N. Gibney; 2, Mrs. Walker. Scabiosa: 1, Mrs. Walker; 2, Mrs. Burnham.

Snappdragon: 1, W. N. Gibney; 2, Mrs. Walker. Stocks: 1, Mrs. Stokes; 2, Mrs. Walker.

Sweet-peas: 1, Mrs. G. Marles. Verbena, collection: 1, Mrs. Steeper; 2, M. Gibney.

Zinnia, large: 1, Miss Harmon; 2, Mrs. Walker. Zinnia, pompon: 1, Mrs. Steeper; 2, W. N. Gibney.

Zinnia, fantasy: 1, Mrs. Walker; 2, Mrs. Stokes. Zinnia, any variety: 1, W. N. Gibney; 2, Mrs. Stiver.

Geranium, single, in pot: 1, Mrs. Davis; 2, Mrs. Walker. Geranium, double, in pot: 1, Mrs. Davis; 2, Mrs. Storch.

Fern: 1, Mrs. Hall; 2, Mrs. Davis. Tuberous begonia: 1, Miss Harmon; 2, Mrs. Walker.

Begonia, any variety: 1, Mrs. Davis; 2, Miss Hayes. Gloxinia: 1, Mrs. Storch.

Hydrangea: 1, Mrs. Steeper. Fuschia: 1, Mrs. G. Marles.

Amaryllis: 1, Mrs. Davis; 2, Mrs. G. Marles. Foliage: 1, Mrs. G. Marles; 2, M. Gibney.

Sansevieria: 1, Mrs. Steeper; 2, Mrs. Davidson. Basket of wild flowers: 1, Beth Thomson.

Green beans: 1, Mrs. Riechbrough; 2, Mrs. Paisley. Beets: 1, M. Gibney; 2, W. N. Gibney.

Corn, Golden Bantam: 1, S. Harper; 2, Mrs. Hall. Corn, any variety: 1, Mrs. Stiver; 2, Mrs. Davis.

Cabbage: 1, Mrs. C. Paisley; 2, Mrs. Davis. Carrots: 1, Mrs. Hall; 2, Mrs. Davis.

Celery: 1, Miss Harmon; 2, Dawson Dike. Cucumbers, table: 1, Mrs. Stiver; 2, Mrs. H. Brown.

Cucumbers, gherkins: 1, Mrs. Stiver; 2, Mrs. E. Watts. Seed onions: 1, Mr. Robertson; 2, Mrs. Davis.

Onions, Dutch sets: 1, Mrs. G. Marles; 2, Miss Riechbrough. Silver-skin onions: 1, Mrs. H. Brown; 2, Miss Harmon.

Peppers, sweet: 1, Mrs. Stiver; 2, Dawson Dike. Peppers, pickling: 1, Mrs. Davis; 2, W. N. Gibney.

Potatoes, early: 1, Mrs. Davis. Potatoes, late: 1, S. Harper; 2, Mrs. Hall.

Pumpkins: 1, Mrs. Davis; 2, Dawson Dike. Pie, pumpkin: 1, Mrs. Davis; 2, Mrs. Hall.

Squash, Table Queen: 1, W. N. Gibney; 2, Miss Harmon. Hubbard squash: 1, Mrs. Davis.

Squash, yellow: 1, Dawson Dike; 2, Mrs. Davis. Salafy: 1, Miss Harmon; 2, Miss Riechbrough.

Tomato: 1, Mrs. Hall; 2, Miss Harmon. Turnip: 1, S. Harper.

Mrs. Percy Walker won the two department store prizes and the Webb trophy.

There were 400 entries and 24 exhibitors. This was the best show held in Mount Albert for some time.

The Era office will be open on Saturdays from 9 to 5 p.m., and from 8 to 10 p.m., D. S. T.

EAST GWILLIMBURY TOWNSHIP LEVIES FOR YEAR'S TAXES

Arrangements for levying and collecting taxes to cover the next year's obligations were made by East Gwillimbury township council at its regular monthly meeting at Sharon on Saturday. All members of the council were present.

Byron Aylward, Elmer Stickwood and Frank Milne were voted \$2 each for distributing pheasants.

A cheque outstanding since 1929 was re-issued to William Wrightman.

A by-law was passed for the purpose of levying and collecting the following amounts of money: County purposes, \$9,329.56; high schools, \$5,323.21; vocational schools, \$235; public schools, \$18,987.91; separate school, \$266.40; board of health, \$550; highways, \$6,500; administration and general purposes, \$2,776.50; relief and hospitalization, \$3,516; public school debentures, \$959.03; Mount Albert, police village, \$1,490; Queensville, police village, \$323; Sharon, police village, \$185; Holland Landing, police village, \$402.

The following accounts were passed for payment: W. H. Theaker, insurance on hall, \$23.45; hospitalization, \$77.42; Leslie Denne, sheep claim, \$11; B. Howard, sheep valuator, \$4; James Bartaleen, sheep claim, \$12; James Bartaleen, dog claim, \$15; J. B. Aylward, pheasant delivery, \$2; Frank Milne, pheasant delivery, \$2; Mrs. C. Bellar, nursing, \$12; Office Specialty, supplies, \$42.00; Olive Tinsdale, printing, \$100; Betty King, nursing, \$3; C. V. Pinder, sheep claim, \$8; J. E. Jardine, constable, \$65; L. J. Farr, relief officer, \$15.

Relief accounts: Dominion Stores, Bradford, \$9; S. R. Goodwin, \$67.05; A & P Stores, \$17.50; Wm. Barker, \$5; Fred Sheppard, \$5; Frank Cunningham, \$2.50; Sidney Thompson, \$5; Carload Groceries, \$3; Hugh Ross, \$37.50; S. C. Sheppard, \$17; Gordon Bailey, \$8; G. H. Knowles, \$32; J. W. Knott, \$10; Ken Ross, \$48; Jack Petrie, \$2.50; Elgin Evans, \$6; Dominion Stores, \$12; Canada Bread, \$1.92; W. A. Burkholder, \$17.40; Thos. Sweet, \$1.25; Irwin Erb, \$3.75; Fred King, \$6.25.

Road accounts: Weeds, \$113.54; grading, \$83.74; resurfacing, \$16.35; draying, \$41.88; stamps, \$3; superintendent, \$85.

Council adjourned to meet again on Oct. 7, at 10 a.m.

**LUNDY FAMILY GAVE
WORLD GREAT MAN**

An editorial from the New York Herald-Tribune of Aug. 20 is sent to The Era by M. D. Hopkins, P. O. Box 125, Grand Central Annex, New York.

The article "will be of interest to many of your readers—collateral descendants of Benjamin Lundy. It places Mr. Lundy in a dignified niche where he belongs—his spirit was like a steady flame—and not among the rabble rousers where posterity seems to have consigned him."

Benjamin Lundy

Those members of the Society of Friends who are today celebrating the 100th anniversary of the death of Benjamin Lundy, the Abolitionist, at his grave at McNabb, Ill., have done well to recall the record of a noble member of their church.

Not one of the best known of Quaker leaders, Lundy none the less stands out as the first American to devote his entire life to the emancipation of the slave by lecturing and by publishing an Abolition journal. Why this harness-maker and saddler should have felt compelled to sacrifice a useful and profitable trade, his substantial savings, all hope of a quiet, happy and serene family life to aid the slaves, he explained by saying that while living in Wheeling he had benefited coffee after coffee of slaves being "sold down the river," or put up for auction.

Their misery, their grief, their sufferings left him no peace. Others might look on such spectacles unmoved, not he. The sight of husbands being torn from their wives, and mothers from their babes, set for him the course of his life.

So there began Lundy's amazingly peripatetic editorship of his "Genius of Universal Emancipation," which appeared with the maximum of irregularity from 1821 until his death, and was published in six different places; sometimes he printed and published it on the road. It was the second publication devoted solely to Abolition, but the first to live and to stir its readers.

This harness-maker who turned to type and press moved and convinced people and earned their respect. For him the art of editing rested upon a pedestal beyond belief in this day. At the start he walked 20 miles from his home in Mount Pleasant, Ohio, to Steubenville to have his papers printed, and returned on foot with the entire circulation upon his back. For years thereafter, when unpaid bills mounted high and subscriptions ran low, he took to the road, seeking aid among strangers with a confidence never disappointed. A 700-mile walk in midwinter was merely an incident in his career.

In 1828 Lundy was on the road

for four months, going from Baltimore through the New England states and returning by way of Buffalo, Utica and Poughkeepsie. It netted him enough new subscribers, won at small meetings or along the road, to give new life to his "Genius."

Those to whom he appealed looked upon his handsome, aristocratic face, heard his moving tale, listened to his, "I heard the wail of the captive; I felt his pang of distress; and the iron entered my soul."

It was on this New England pilgrimage in 1828 that he met and won to militancy for freedom William Lloyd Garrison, that fiery convert who outshone his master. Garrison became Lundy's co-editor of the "Genius" in Baltimore, only to land soon in jail for libelling a Massachusetts ship captain by branding him properly for engaging in that most horrible of businesses, the slave trade.

That libel verdict ended the brief editorial partnership. Both went their separate ways, Lundy seeking in vain a large tract of land in Mexico (the journal of his travels there is a classic to this day) and Garrison scouring the slaveholders and glorying in the "complete immoderation" of his language.

Lundy wore out early and died in his 51st year; although the celebration is today, the anniversary is really on Aug. 22. Not until the final summons did he rest from unending labor for emancipation by day and by night, in snow and heat, crusading unceasingly over hill and dale and impossible roads, with even one minute's thought save that there were those in chains and that he was "as bound with them."

Ravenshoe

A number from here attended C. N. Exhibition.

School started Tuesday morning, with Miss Atkinson in charge. This is Miss Atkinson's fourth term here.

Mr. Ross, the merchant, brought home a load of peaches on Wednesday which he soon disposed of.

Mr. Roger Pollock, New Fane, U.S.A., spent the long weekend with his cousin, Mr. Russell Pollock.

Mr. Sherman Duggan, Timmins, spent the weekend with his aunt, Mrs. Thos. Smith.

Miss June Heaslip, Toronto, returned home after spending the vacation at her uncle's, Mr. Thos. Bell.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Cowleson spent Sunday at Mr. John Gordon's.

Masters Lorne and Ed. Denne, Belhaven, returned home after spending a holiday with their cousin, Lloyd Pollard.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Chayton and children were Sunday guests at Mr. Thos. Smith's.

A number of friends and relatives gathered at the home of Mr. Percy Cupples last Wednesday evening and showered Mr. and Mrs. Shiers, (nee Jean Mahoney), with many useful gifts.

Mr. Joe Pollock spent several days at home through illness last week.

NEWMARKET W. C. T. U.

Miss Duff, provincial field secretary of the W. C. T. U. in Ontario, during an address at Sarina, made the following statement:

"Many of the evils of the earth and much of the wickedness is due to alcohol." By alcohol he meant beer, wine, ale and liquor, but especially beer. Young girls are being led astray in the beverage rooms of Ontario. She knew the case of one 18-year-old girl who went unescorted to a dance hall. Later on she went to a beverage room with some people and had two beers. Then her mind went blank. A few months later her mother took her to a doctor. Her baby was just one of 14 similar children born in the same city in that month.

There is a pamphlet published by the brewing industry in which a Dr. Stengel points out that the percentage of alcohol is so low in beer and the rate of absorption so slow, that beer is not in any real sense of the word an intoxicant. Now, if two beers cause a girl's mind to go blank, what about a statement of that kind?

Miss Duff also says that brewing companies in Ontario are advertising their wares by supplying blotting to the schools. In this way the attention of the boys and girls is drawn daily to that which is a menace to character building.

The education of our youth should be continuous with regard to the evil effects of alcohol on the human body. The public schools are required to do this, and Sunday-schools have the opportunity if they avail themselves of it.

"In the last four years contributions to churches have dropped 30 per cent," the speaker said, "but in the same period of time the amount of alcohol consumed in Ontario has increased by 300 per cent."

The temperance workers of Canada must fight liquor interests in an organized way. The brewers are awake and we may expect a still greater increase in the sale of intoxicating beverages. In one of the W.C.T.U. conferences Rev. Ritchie Bell said that for every \$5 spent by the church for Christian work, the brewing interests spent \$400 in advertising. Mr. Bell wondered what the next generation was going to be like, with the drinking and smoking of mothers.

Scrambled Eggs

"What was the explosion on St. James'?"

"He fed his chickens some lay or bust feed and one of them was a rooster."

WONDER WHERE 11- TON CHEESE IS NOW

(Detroit Free Press's interview with an old Newmarket boy.)

How many Detroiters today remember the "Canadian Mite"—the mammoth cheese exhibited at the Columbian Exposition of 1893 in Chicago as part of the Canadian exhibit—which weighed 22,000 pounds and required a special truck to transport it?

Charles H. Haight, now living in Detroit at 263 Harmon Ave., remembers it all very well. He should, perhaps, for while rummaging about in an old trunk some time ago, Haight found mementos of the great exposition, including an advertisement for the cheese.

At the time of the dedication ceremonies for the exposition in October, 1892, Haight, then a young man of 33 years, served as an usher, and later served as an usher at the auditorium theatre.

What with all of the fanfare of publicity surrounding the two current world's fairs, Haight decided to display his trophies of a by-gone day when the Columbian Exposition was the colossal, stupendous and gigantic spectacle of the hour.

He is also very proud of a souvenir ticket to the exposition, and keeps it with his two badges proclaiming him to be an usher in a special folder.

Mr. Haight, who celebrated his 80th birthday on May 29, admits that it had been a long time since he had thought very much about his treasures.

"I had forgotten all about these things and just happened to come across them in an old trunk," he said. "But I've had photostatic copies made and I'm going to keep them as long as I can. Those were great days back in 1892 and '93. That mammoth cheese was really something, and it was finally sold to Sir Thomas J. Lipton."

Will Mr. Haight visit either of the world's fairs this year? Well, he didn't know, but he would like to, he said.

"In 1933, I was at the fair at Chicago, and on the closing night, a Saturday, I decided to take the aerial trip across the fair grounds. I just happened to have my old usher's badge in my pocket and I showed it to the girl at the ticket window. She gave me back my money for the ticket. Maybe I'll be able to go to at least one of the fairs. I'd like to see what they're like."

IS CRITICALLY ILL

Prof. F. Arthur Oliver of the Toronto Conservatory of Music has been coming to Newmarket daily, owing to the critical condition of his uncle, David Prety.

**YOUNG PEOPLE HOLD
SUCCESSFUL ROAST**

The Presbyterian Young People's Society held their first meeting of the year on Tuesday night. This was a weiner roast held at MacDonald's bush. A large number of the young people were present. Many games were played and everybody had an enjoyable time.

Hot dogs and marshmallows were roasted over a roaring fire and the group sang songs until the last embers of the fire died away.

The worship evening, under the leadership of Allan Perk, will take place on Tuesday night, Sept. 12. Everybody is welcome and a special invitation is extended to all who do not attend other societies. Anyone interested is invited to come and bring friends and make this a real fellowship meeting of the young people.

IT'S A TALL STORY

The Newmarket Feedateria has on exhibition a stalk of sudan grass eight feet three inches high from the farm of Elmer Starr, Bogartown. It was planted on June 15 and brought to town on Aug. 31.

BREAKS LEG AT SUTTON

While on his holidays at Sutton, James Little, 72, of Toronto, broke his leg, while working with a team of horses.

Matrimonially Inclined?

Doris — "When is your sister thinking of getting married?"

Tom — "Constantly."

Just for a Respite

"I wonder why Peck always goes to a lady dentist?"

"I suppose it seems good to hear a woman tell him to open his mouth instead of shut it."

Sympathy

Mr. Johnson—"Yes, my wife has left me—ran away with another man in my car."

Mr. Jackson—"Good heavens, man, not your new car?"

PEPPER AND SALT

Old Man Winter provided the fans spectating Tuesday's ball-park encounter with a preview of future antics. The blankets and coats on view gave the grounds a pigskin atmosphere. This semester's softball schedule has been a long drawn-out affair. It should have been clocked in Greenwich warm weather time.

The race track association has had little luck in its last few promotions. Monday's Labor Day program was cut off in a deluge of rain. However, the attendance was good considering the chameleon-like weather.

What little action there was was worth seeing because the motorcycle contingent was giving it all.

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